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AGRICULTURE IN THE SCHOOLS

Superintendent Putnam Has New Departure for Schools of This County.

TOWANDA PUPILS HAVE ALREADY ORDERED SEEDS

Drawing, Manual Training, Nature Study, Domestic Science as Well as Agriculture Are to Be Brought Into the School Curriculm.

The modern trend of education demands that more attention be given to systematic training which shall lead to a better equipment for the different vocations which await the boys and girls when they arrive at the age when they must go out in the world and take up the active duties of life.

To meet this necessity the subjects of drawing, manual training, nature study, domestic science, and the elements of agriculture are being brought into the school curriculm in Bradford county. Modern education has had a tendency to influence the boys and girls to leave home associations and either become professional men and women or accept the numerous opportunities which have been opened to become clerks in stores, laborers in factories, and all the various pursuits of life to such an extent that the country has suffered greatly in the struggle for better citizenship.

With a view of exerting an influence to the vast possibilities which await the farmer who is specially educated for his work, the schools of this county will give special attention the coming year to the subject of agriculture. It is not intended that the work done in this direction shall interfere in any way with the branches taught in the public schools, but rather that the subject shall be presented incidentally with the regular work, which will have a tendency to create new interest and produce better results in every way in all the different subjects.

Directors are urged to add to the course of study the subject of elements of agriculture for the more advanced pupils and purchase books for use the coming year. In the elementary grades no text book is needed and teachers will give the children oral instruction and confine their teaching to supplementary work.

Children are urged to do some practical work in agriculture during the vacation period. In Towanda borough pupils have already given their orders for 600 packages of seeds which they will plant and cultivate this year. Reports of their work will be made at the opening of the school next year. This work will be made the topics for written work in English.

Among the topics which teachers are requested to acquaint themselves and become as proficient as possible are the following:—

Soil formation
How plants feed.
How plants grow.
What constitutes the ideal soil.
How to keep the soil fertile.
Humus in the soil.
How clover helps the farmer.
Rotation of crops.
Saving soil moisture.
Insects and parasites injurious to plants, and how to be rid of them.
Germination of seeds. Seed testing. How seeds come up.
Rearing plants from buds. Transplaning, Improvement of plants.
The flower and its parts. Crops and weeds.
Gardening. The care of the orchard
Animals that destroy insects.
Breeds of farm animals.
Dairying. Principles of feeding. Poultry raising.
Bee keeping, landscape gardening, etc.

Closely allied with Nature Study and agriculture, is the subject of domestic science or home Economics. The schools must exert an influence to encourage the young people to take a greater interest in all the home duties and so far as possible attention will be given in the same way in which agriculture is taught to work along the line of domestic science.

The Bradford County Agricultural Society is making an effort, with the assistance of the schools, to have a splendid educational exhibit at their next annual Fair which will be held on their grounds in East Towanda in September. A prominent feature of this exhibit will be, in addition to the regular work of the schools, agricultural products which the school children have produced by their own work and without the assistance of other persons, together with articles of handiwork, sewing, crocheting, embrodiering, cooking, and general work in Manual training. The County superintendent has been given considerable latitude in arranging for this exhibit and the hearty co-operation of all the parents, teachers school authorities, and all people interested in the advancement of the agricultural interest of the county and in the general welfare of our schools, is earnestly requested. It is expected to have great assistance from all the Grange organizations throughout the county.

It is not unlikely that in the near future county Agricultural schools will be established. These together with the splendid institution at State College, will have a tendency to bring agriculture to the standard of a profession quite as popular and profitable as any of the mechanical arts.

In all the examinations and educational meetings, and local institutes this subject will be given considerable attention. It is expected to hold an educational meeting next year in every township district in the county, and to use at these meetings all the available material to create interest and give instruction along these lines.

MONROETON MEN NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH IN FLAMES.

Were Awakened by Crackling of Fire Which Was Encroaching on Bed.

Carl G. Summers and Floyd Griggs, two well known Monroeton gentlemen, had narrow escapes from cremation in a fire which destroyed a boarding house at which they were stopping in Overton township early on Saturday morning. They escaped from the burning building, but lost their belongings and were both severely burned.

They were on a trout fishing excursion and were stopping at a boarding house at Big Bottom, Overton township. The house is managed by Chas. McIntyre, and a large number of boarders are cared for.

Saturday morning McIntyre arose about 4 o'clock, started the fires and went out to the barn. The other boarders had left the house by six o'clock, and Messrs. Summers and Griggs were the only inmates, being asleep on the second floor. Mrs. McIntrye was at the barn helping milk the cows.

The crackling of burning wood and the smell of smoke aroused the two men and they awoke to find themselves surrounded by flames. Mr. Summers made a leap down the stairway, diving through flames. Mr. Griggs remained long enough to put on some clothes, and when he started the flooring was nearly all burned away, and he was compelled to walk on the burning rafters. His feet were badly blistered but he escaped serious injury. Mr. Summers was burned on the head and body but not seriously injured. They lost all their belongings in the building, which was totally destroyed. All the furniture and the clothes of the boarders were destroyed.

The fire is believed to have originated from embers falling from the stove.

BOYS EAT POISON BERRIES, ONE DEAD FROM EFFECTS

Potter County Youngsters, Partake of Poisonous Feast.

One of five Potter county boys who ate wild berries the other day died from the effects of the poison, the story of which is told in Thursday's Potter County Enterprise as follows:

"Theodore H. Nelson, the four-years-old son of Oscar Nelson and wife, died at his home at the tannery from poisoning. During the afternoon the little fellow together with four of his little playmates while playing in the woods near the tannery, found some red berries, which they proceeded to eat. The little boys soon became sick and going home informed their parents of what they had eaten. Dr Ashcraft was called and succeeded in saving all of the little lads with the exception of the Nelson boy who had eaten a great many more of the berries than the other boys. The other children poisoned were two sons of John Dudas, one son of John Hanley and one son of Frank Dudas, all ranging from four to seven years."

School Site Purchased.

At a special meeting of the school board of Wysox township held on Saturday afternoon in the grange hall, a contract was made with Louis Piollet for the purchase of two acres of land across the street from the Brick church, the ground to be used for the sit of the new graded and high school of Wysox township. Contracts for the erection of and furnishing of the new school building will be advertised for as soon as plans are approved by the school board. The building is to be ready for use by Sept. 1.

Gaines People Elated.

Residents of Gaines are elated by the announcement that 20 oil and gas wells are to be drilled on lands of the Billings estate in that territory. The Gaines oil field, the only one in Tioga county, is believed to come from a feeder, and to find this feeder is the aim of the search.

In the case of May E. Harvey vs. Lehigh Valley R. R. Co., tried at Tunkhannock last week, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff on Thursday afternoon in the sum of $4,905. The plaintiff claimed to have been permanently injured in a wreck on the Montrose branch in the fall of 1907.

A GREAT DAY IN TOWANDA

Vice-President Johnson's Visit Here in 1839, As Told By J. Washington Ingham

REGULAR ONTHLY MEETING OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Committee Arranging Home and Old Peopie's Days Report Progress. David Wilmot's Inkstand Presented to the Society—Mr. Ingham's Paper.

The regular monthly meeting of the Historical Society of Bradford County was held Saturday afternoon, with a large number of the members in attendance.

The big feature of the meeting was the reading of a paper on Vice-President Johnson's visit to Towanda in 1839 by J. Washington Ingham of Sugar Run, one of the best known and most talented gentlemen in the county. Another feature of the meeting was the reciting of "Little Boy Blue," by Marion Heverly, the bright and winsome litle daughter of Editor C. F. Heverly and wife.

The executive committee of the Historical Society reported progress on the arrangements for old home and old people's days to be held in June Already a large number of names have been handed in and Secretary Wilt has mailed out about 300 invitations to former residents of the county to again visit with the folks at home in the month of June.

The invitations give an outline of the program and enclosed with each invitation is a card which is to be returned to the secretary, informing him as to whether or not the party invited will be here on the days of celebration. The society hopes to have a banquet on the evening of the first day to cost not to exceed $1 per plate and each old resident is asked to state whether or not they will attend the banquet.

The committee on arrangements have been authorized to procure a portrait of Colonel John Franklin to be unveiled in the society's rooms on one of the home days.

Librarian Heverly reported the receipt of the ink stand used by David Wilmot when he was United States senator, which has been presented to the Society by United States Commissioner John W. Mix of Towanda. He also reported a number of Indian relics received. I. McPherson, Esq., suggested that an old man's game of baseball be played on old home day, at 10 a. m., the game to be participated in by men not under 50 nor over 70 years of age, the same rules to govern as were in vogue half a century ago. The matter was referred to the committee on arrangements.

Mr. Ingham's Paper.

Following is the paper prepared and read by J. Washington Ingham on Vice-President Johnson's visit to Towanda:

Early in the fall of 1839 Col. Richard M. Johnson, then Vice-President of the United States, Martin VanBuren being President, commenced electioneering for the Democratic nomination for the presidency, and came to Towanda. Notice having been previously given, quite a crowd of people assembled on the park, then called the "Public Square" where circus tents were pitched, cows pastured, to see, and welcome the distinguished visitor. The Bradford county cavalry had been called out by Captain Conkling, their commander, to escort the Vice-President from Monroeton to Towanda, he having come in the stage to that place from Williamsport. The company consisted of about 60 fine looking young men wearing clean gray uniforms, and having on their heads, heavy leather helmets, strengthened with brass ribs, and with white horse tails attached to the crown, and hanging down their backs. These helmets, thus adorned, gave the wearers a bold, warlike appearance and when they trotted or galloped their horses, these conspicuous plumes would dance and sway from side to side. Their helmets would have been very appropriate to wear in a cavalry charge as they would protect the head against a sabre blow of considerable force, but were entirely too heavy for soldiers in the regular army for every day wear. All the boys were well mounted. There was not a poor horse in the parade, and of course each rider carried a saber. Capt. Conkling was a fine looking officer and seemed to understand his business well. He was called the handsomest man in Towanda, was a tailor by trade; his wife was the daughter of George Bowman, who lived about half way between Towanda and Monroeton.

While in your imagination the cavalry have gone to Monroeton I will take the opportunity to introduce Vice-President Johnson to this audience.

Richard M. Johnson was born at Bryant's Station, Ky., in 1781, was admitted to the bar and practiced law. In 1804 at the age of 26 was elected a member of the United States House of Representatives, where, with the exception of the few months he served in the army, he remained a member of congress until 1819, a term of 15 years. He was then elected to the United States Senate, where he remained until 1829, a period of nine years. For some cause he failed to retain his seat in the Senate but was immediately elected by his constituents to the House of Representatives where he remained until 1837, nine years, when he was elected vice-president on the ticket with Martin Van Buren. There was no choice by the people for vice-president but according to law in such cases, the choice devolved on the United States Senate and Johnson was chosen.

At the beginning of the second war with Great Britian in 1812, Johnson raised a battalion of three companies and commanded it in active service for ten months when it was disbanded. Shortly afterwards he raised a regiment of 1,000 mounted volunteers and was its commander. He with his regiment was with General Harrison at the battle of the Thames in Canada where he was severely wounded, and where he claimed he killed Tecumseh, the celebrated Indian chief, who commanded the Indians. The battle was fought on the 5th of October, 1813. Gen. Harrison's force was greatly superior to that of the British and Indians and he gained a great victory, taking more than 600 prisoners.

Col. Johnson was holding the second office of honor in the United States, but his ambition was not satisfied and at the time of his visit to Towanda was striving for the Democratic nomination for the presidency, and no doubt thought his chances of getting it better than VanBuren's, under whose administration for the last four years very hard times had prevailed in the country.

The unwise financial measures of President Jackson during the latter part of his second term in making war on the United States Bank, and removing from it the government's deposits, and his rude manner in calling in the government surplus of $35,000,000 which was deposited in a large number of state banks and which congress had voted to have distributed among the several states, produced a great commercial disaster. The banks had considered these deposits the same as other deposits, and had rightfully loaned much of it to their customers, and they should have been given a long notice before demanding payment, in order that they could give their customers more time as there was no urgency whatever. This President Jackson did not do. Furthermore he ordered the land agents to receive nothing but specie in their sales of lands. These measures brought on a crash which prostrated the whole commercial, financial and industrial system of the country for six or seven years, and was the severest this country has ever known. The crash came just as his successor, Martin VanBuren, was taking the office and the burden of the blame fell on him. It was really President Jackson's fault, and not VanBuren's, but the people generally hold the president responsible under whose administration the hard times come.

The cavalry escorted the carriage in which Col. Johnson rode along Main street to about where the soldiers' monument now stands and there made a square turn to the right, riding down nearly to the old framed wooden court house, there halted, formed a single line facing the southeast in front of which the carriage was driven and stopped when about half way down the line. Just then quite a shower came up, and the crowd began to rush into the court house where the meeting had been advertised to be held. So great was the jam from the door up to the court room that my brother, then a boy, who was in it said his feet did not touch the stairs at all as he was carried up in the squeeze.

Col. Johnson seeing the crowd said the building was not large enough to hold all the people and he would not go in. He had the cover let down and stood up to make his speech. Col. Piollet who was in the carriage with him held an umbrella over his head, against which he protested.

He commenced by saying he had never before been in Northern Pennsylvania and had always had a longing to see our beautiful hills and valleys. "And now," said he, "I have come, and they say down in Kentucky, that I come electioneering!" He paused here to let them cheer if they wanted to, but nobody seemed to take the hint. He said that whatever political party we belonged to, we all desired the welfare of our common country and the preservation of the glorious union.

He related his military experience in raising soldiers for his country and leading them to the battlefield, and described the battle of Thomes, and his bloody encounter with the celebrated Indian warrior Tecumseh. He said that in this battle, they did not fight the Indians like Gen. Braddock, Gen. Harmer, and Gen. St. Clair did, stand off and be shot down by hidden foes, but rode right in among the savages where they lay skulked behind logs and rocks, and fought them face to face, and hand to hand. He said Tecumseh laid behind a log and as he rode up fired at him with a rifle, the ball shattering his left hand. Here he held up his crippled hand, and said: "It holds the fork very well at your entertainments." He showed how he rested his big pistol over his left arm and fired, killing Tecumseh.

The address was short, as it continued to rain, and there were no other speeches.

Martin VanBuren was nominated by the Democratic national convention for a second term, and for some unaccountable reason it made no nomination for vice-president. However, Col. Johnson and James K. Polk were voted for in some of the states. VanBuren was badly defeated by General William Henry Harrison, who under the cry of "Hurrah for the log cabin! Hurrah for the hard cider!" swept the country like a whirlwind.

Col. Johnson having been a member of congress in the house or in the senate for 33 years, almost continuously, and then holding the office of vice-president for four years, seems to have been crowded down hill in his old age by younger men. He could not get back to the senate, but his local constituents elected him to a seat in the Kentucky legislature which position he held at the time of his death in 1850.

His success in politics was not owing to great ability like Clay's, Webster's and Calhoun's, for he did not have it. His success was mainly due to his military services, his good nature, courteous manners, and friendliness towards all men high or low. It was said, but I do not know it was true, that his wife, who was a handsome woman, white as himself, but with a tinge of African blood, was his slave, bought with his money.

In the case of buying a wife, Col. Johnson was no worse than some wealthy American women who buy their husbands in Europe, dukes and counts, poverty stricken noblemen at the door of the poor house,

WOMAN SUICIDES BY HANGING

Mrs. Carrie Baldwin, Formerl of Granville, Kills herself at Elmira.

HAD BEEN EMPLOYED IN GLEASON SANITARIUM

She Left a Note Addressed to the Undertaker, but Assigned No Reason for Her Rash Act—Married a Granville Man About Two Years Ago.

The Elmira Advertiser gives the following account of the suicide of a former resident of this county:

The body of Mrs. Carrie Baldwin whose home is given as Granville, Pa was found hanging by the neck from the head of the bed in room No. 12 a the Hotel Smith in Elmira on Sunday afternoon, by Florence Burley, one o the maids at the hotel. The case wa apparetnly a premeditated suicide, th succes of which the victim made doubly sure by taking laudanum. No motive could be ascertained for the act as the woman had appeared as a stranger and had conversed with no on who could throw any light on the matter.

Mrs. Baldwin appeared at the hote shortly before supper time on Saturday evening. She registered as Mrs Baldwin, Granville, Pa., and stated sh had just left a hospital in Elmira and was not feeling well. She at very little supper and while at the table conversed with two men who had come in for their meals, and who left immediately afterwards. It was not thought that she was acquainted with either of the men, but had become engaged in conversation with them while eating. She then went to be room, where she remained until about 11 o'clock, at which time she came down stairs and telephoned to some person whose name could not be learned. She also had a pitcher of water and a glass sent up to her room, after which she is supposed to have retired.

The woman did not arise for breakfast, but as she had complained of feeling ill the night before this was not thought unusual. Shortly after 9 o'clock Sunday Miss Burley went to the woman's room, thinking that the latter might want something to eat She knocked on the door and received no answer. The door was locked, but the girl was provided with a key and she entered the room only to find the limp body of the woman on her knees on the floor while about her neck was a shawl strap which was fastened to the head of the bed.

The coroner and police found a letter directed to W. C. Harrington of North Main street, which it is thought contained directions for the disposal of her body. An envelope was found directed to J. W. Butler, Coopers Plains, N. Y., but there was no letter in it. Another letter was found directed to herself at the Gleason Sanitarium on East Hill. In her trunk were found three pictures, believed to be photos of herself; also a picture of two little boys with their sleighs. In her pocketbook were $5 in bills and $1.87 in specie, a reticule and a breast pin. The woman appeared to be about 45 years old.

Inquiry at the Gleason Sanitarium showed that she had been employed as a dishwasher at that place. She left there on Wednesday, saying she was about to go to the Arnot-Ogden hospital. She is believed to have left the latter institution on Saturady for when she appeared at the hotel she remarked that she had just come from a hospital and was ill.

The coroner telegraphed to Coopers Plains in the hope of getting in touch with some relatives of the woman, but received no reply. The woman was formerly the wife of Walter Little. About two years ago she married a man named Balwin in Granville. She went to the sanitarium last November.

WHAT BECAME OF MONEY DRAWN FROM BANK BY WOMAN

Elmira Authorities Mystified Over the Suicide of Mrs. Carrie Baldwin.

Says Tuesday's Elmira Advertiser: "The authorities are wondering what became of $118, which Mrs. Carrie Baldwin, who committed suicide at the hotel Smith, in Elmira on Sunday, drew out of the Elmira Savings Bank previous to committing the rash deed. The money was not on her person or could not be found in room No. 12, where she hanged herself with a shawl strap after taking laudanum.

"The incident about the woman visiting the savings bank came to light Monday, when it was also learned that she had purchased a trunk from Tillman's trunk store on East Water street, which she had delivered to the hotel. It was also learned that Mrs. Baldwin had told the bank officials to enter the name of Mary Butler on her account, giving that person the right to draw the money, which had been deposited in her name. This action had been taken some time ago.

"The letter addressed to Undertakes Harrington, the contents of which could not be learned Sunday night on account of the Undertaker having been called on another case, were as follows:

'Mr. Harrington:

Please bury me beside my father and mother. You can collect the pay from my husband. Every man should bury his wife."

CARRIE PERKINS BALDWIN.

"Undertaker Harrington has officiated at the burial of all of the members of the Baldwin family and it is but natural that the woman should have called upon him to take charge of her remains.

"Coroner Westlake received word from Coopers Plains that Mary Butler, of that place, will come to Elmira to take charge of Mrs. Baldwin's body. Mrs. Butler upon her arrival may be able to throw some light upon the mystery which is connected with the case."

All divorce records in Washington county were broken on Wednesday when Judge J. F. Taylor handed down decrees separating thirty mismated couples.

NEWS NOTES FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Cities and Towns Hereabouts.

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY MENTIONED

Wellsboro People Decide by Ballot to Make Extensive Improvements to the Streets of that Enterprising Borough—Other News Notes.

The Tunkhannock band is to have a home talent minstrel show.

An addition is to be built to the Athens Universalist church.

The state policemen stationed at Tunkhannock for a long time, have been recalled to the Wyoming barracks.

Beginning May 1, attorneys with offices in Montrose will close doors at noon on Saturdays during the Summer months.

Rev. E. P. Morse has presented a fine case containing 24 Bibles to the Presbyterian church at Troy for use in the prayer meeting service.

The members of the Church of Christ have decided to purchase a pipe organ and last Sunday morning the sum of $600 was pledged for that purpose.—Canton Sentinel.

Rev. F. H. Baker has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Baptist church at Mansfield. The resignation came as a great surprise and the trustees have not as yet accepted it.

A fourteen years old Elmira boy, after perusing five cent novels for a few weeks, became tired of home life and started for the plains. His parents are greatly worried about him.

Wellsboro held a special election on Tuesday and voted in favor of issuing bonds to carry on the work of street improvement. Thirty votes were cast against the project and 457 in its favor.

It is rumored that a new daily newspaper office is to be opened in Owego in the near future and that Kilmer of the Binghamton Press is to be the man behind the enterprise.—Sayre Times-Record.

Property owners at Wyalusing, have commenced to adjust their side walks to conform to the new grade established by the state engineer when the state road was built through that borough last fall.

While driving a colt hitched to a buggy in Troy on Tuesday, Andrew Jones pulled sharply on the reins and the colt turned a complete somerset backwards in the shafts breaking the harness. The colt was none the worse for his acrobatic feat.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

WELLS.

Miss Rose E. Sullivan is spending some time with friends in East Smithfield.

The Misses Ella and Louise Grinnell of Mosherville, have been visiting Mrs. L. Kelley, at Sagetown, N. Y.

Seth McMullin and family have arrived at their destination in Oregon, and report a safe and pleasant journey.

Elmer Hall is the owner of a handsome young colt.

Oldroyd and daughter Ethel, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Fivie near Horseheads, on Saturday and Sunday.

The twin babies of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Streeter, who have been ill with pneumonia, are a little better.

Married at the M. E. parsonage at Millerton, on April 15, by the Rev. J. W. Miller, Miss Grace West of Columbia, and Roy M. Baker of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Baker have the best wishes of a host of friends.

A. C. Potter now owns the noted stallion "Senator".

The cheese factory at Mosherville has been remodeled into a creamery, and opened for business on Monday. Mr. VanDuzer of Horseheads, has control.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baker have moved from Mosherville to Seeley Creek.

Charles Grinnell of Mosherville, has a top buggy.

Clarence VanDermark recently lost his twin colts.

Miss Mildred Roberts is attending school in Elmira.

Miss Lucy Loomis of Gillett, has a large class in music here.

Miss Lena Hakes has just closed a very successful term of school.

There is a great demand for potatoes and seed oats. Corn is now 80 cents per bushel.

WEST TERRY.

R. S. Hakes and Mrs. Lavina Jackson are on the sick list. Dr. W. F. Randall of Dushore, was called recently.

F. W. Terry is having his house treated to a new coat of paint. Solomon Vargason is doing the work.

Warren Terrill of Moon street plastered the church last week.

Messrs. Myron and Orlanda Woolsey of Lime Hill, spent the latter part of the week with their brother, Henry Woolsey.

Miss Maggie OConnell, who is attending school in Towanda, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home.

Henry Woolsey spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Leroy Hibbard, at Evergreen.

F. W. Terry called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Terry at New Albany, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Woolsey spent Saturday with her cousin Mrs. Fred Emory, at Evergreen who is very ill.

The Cobweb social held at home of Henry Woolsey was largely attended. A jolly lead from Evergreen were present. Proceeds $7.50.

The Ladies Aid meet Thursday, April 29 with Mrs. Alice Hardenstine, at West Terry.

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DOTY HILL.

Mrs. Dwight Parsons has returned to her home in Ansonia, Conn., having spent the past four months at the home of her mother and sisters. Mrs. Parsons was called here by the illness and death of her father, Andrew Dewey.

Mrs. Belle Soper of Roseville, spent Friday night at the home of S. F. Aber and family.

Mr. Page of the Fassett farm made a business trip to Athens Thursday.

Will Easton and daughter, Lena, were in Elmira Saturday.

Tim Birney has been confined to the house with the grip the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Aber visited friends in Wellsburg Thursday.

The men of Doty Hill made a bee Friday and set the posts for the new cemetery fence.

Mrs. Belle Dewey is spending some time in Troy.

Merton Halstead and Herman Wood have traded horses.

SOUTH HILL.

Mrs. H. M. Browning attended the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Chaffee at Stevensville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooks attended the funeral of Dr. Claggett at Rummerfield last Saturday.

Miss Julia Browning is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Allis have recently installed a new phone in their home.

Ernest Brown is setting the poles, and intends having a new phone in the near future.

ELWELL.

Mrs. Guy Baker and daughter of Wysox, were visiting relatives here, and at Norconk, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Jennie Stoddard and sister Lizzie of Spring Hill, were visiting their parents over Sunday and attended Sunday school, and church services here.

Royal Oliver has moved to Golden Hill, on his farm which he recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sweet entertained twelve young people Sunday afternoon after Sunday school.

James Quinn and William Decker planted potatoes Saturday.

MYERSBURG.

The hard wind of last week did considerable damage here, taking the roof of Charles Davis house; also the roof off a shed belonging to Jese Allen.

Mrs. Amanda Martin is very sick with little hopes of recovery.

Mrs. Althea Ellsworth is visiting relatives in Lawrenceville.

Mrr. Will Northrop of Athens, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Davis, last week.

Mrs. A. A. Pierce and son Lee are home after spending the winter with her daughters at Hornell, and Port Allegany.

BLACK CREEK.

Mrs. C. E. Bartlow and family spent Sunday at Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindley and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bennett of New Albany, were in this place Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Teeter spent last Saturday with Mrs. Jesse Rettberg at French Creek.

Nelson Sherman was a visitor at Towanda Saturday.

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LAQUIN.

A very pleasant farewell was given on Thursday night at the home of Miss Hazel Hurd of Laquin. The guests of honor being Miss Lillie Kanally, who departed for Williamsport on Saturday and Forest Thompson who is to make his future home in Oklahoma; cards and music were the features of the evening. The following guests were present. Misses Jessie Henry, Linove Brunner, Muriel Beattie, Nora Eddy, Iva Smith, Clo. Hatch and Minnie Losey, Beatrice Birdsell, Lillie Kanally, Lefa Dale, Lillian Ross, Reba Warner, Effie Allen Messers. Clyde Ayers, Max Goodenough, John Smith, Leon Smith, Leon English, Joe O'Donnell, Francis Donlon, Louis Allen, Otis Allen, James Houpt, Ray Mishow, Forest Thompson. All report a very pleasant evening.

William Kanally and family leave for Williamsport the early part of the week.

Blondy Allen a former stave cutter for the Penna. Stave Co. left Wednesday for Tupper Lake where he has a similar position.

Miss Lillian Ross has recently recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Fred Drum is off duty for the past few days with a severe cold.

Harry Harry Echer is suffering from an attact of grip.

Jerry Mishow and family leave the early part of May for their home in Williamsport.

EAST TROY.

Mrs. Elmer Ross was called to Green's Landing on Tuesday, by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Darrow, who has pneumonia.

Mrs. C. E. Parke is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Johnson and mother, Mrs. Herrington, and Miss Effie VanHorn were visitors in Towanda over Sunday.

Miss Mildred Greenough is ill with tonsilitis.

Miss Maude Cole was at her home here over Sunday. She reports her sister, Mrs. Alice Packard, as recovering from her serious illness. Her nurse, Miss Dickerson, is still with her, with Miss Maude as assistant.

The many friends of H. L. Greenough will be interested to learn that he has successfully passed the examination for hospital steward in the U. S. Navy, and has received an appointment to said office, according to the communication recently received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Goodenough, written at Magdalena Bay, Mexico, April 4. The U. S. S. South Dakota sailed for Central America, April 7. It will be remembered by those interested, that Henry, as he is known by his friends at home, enlisted in the U. S. Navy, Aug. 7, 1907, and has been aboard the U. S. S. South Dakota, since leaving Washington in January, 1908.

Thomas Comfort, R. F. D. Carrier on route 66, was remembered by the patrons of his route last week Friday, when he received 104 post cards. Mr. Comfort is one of the faithful ones, and is always on his trips, no matter what the weather may be.

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Great deeds compel regard. The world crowns its doers. That's why the American people have crowned Dr. King's New Discovery the King of Throat and Lung remedies. Every atom is a health force. It kills germs and colds and la grippe vannish. It heals cough-racked membranes and coughing stops. Sore, inflamed bronchial tubes and lungs are cured and hemorrhages cease. Dr. Geo. More, Black Jack, N. C., writes "it cured me of lung trouble, pronounced hopeless by all doctors." 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Turner's Drug Store.

EVERGREEN.

Miss Margaret O'Connell of Towanda, spent Sunday at her home.

Mrs. Fred Emory is very ill with typhoid fever.

A. L. Allen was a business man at the county seat Tuesday.

Mrs. C. R. Hakes returned home from Ricketts Wednesday, accomied by her granddaughter, Pearl May.

Ira Hibbard visited his sister, Mrs. Charles Finch at Athens Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Pearl David of Sugar Run, was a guest at Mrs. Alice Allen's Sunday.

A social will be given by the C. E. at S. M. White's Thursday evening, April 29. Light refreshments will be served and a free will offering received for the benefit of the missionary society.

Mrs. John Teeter is slowly improving from a severe attack of pneumonia

Miss Olive Hatch of Towanda, and Mrs. Walter Irvine of Liberty Corners, were called here Saturday by the illness of their sister, Mrs. Emory.

SHORES HILL.

Mrs. Harlow Webb of Lake Wesauking spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Gard.

Mrs. George Brown and son Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Brown spent Sunday at Eugene Slater's Fisher Hill.

The dinner and clay pigeon shoot at the Grange hall on Thursday was well attended. Some fine shooting was done by all the boys, but Olin Shores carried away highest honors.

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to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now. His reason is well worth reading: "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, and general debility," he writes. "I couldn't sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. It's a wonderful medicine." Infallible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c at Turner's Drug Store.

MONROETON.

Rev. Mr. MacClery, a student at Princeton, has been engaged to preach in the Presbyterian church during the summer, and will preach his first sermon on Sunday, May 9.

John Rockwell and F. E. Mingos, wife and son Henry, witnessed the Bucknell-Indian ball game at Lewisburg Saturday.

The Five Hundred Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Drake last Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Drake and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kellogg. About twenty-five were present.

Schools close May 28.

Mrs. F. A. Green is still in Towanda caring for her mother, Mrs. Albert Mingos.

Mrs. G. H. Landon, who has been spending some time at Camptown, returned home on Saturday.

The Ulster high school base ball team will play the high school team on the local grounds on Saturday, May 8th.

Mrs. Persons Harris of Athens visited her sister, Mrs. Lewis Kelley, last week.

Prof. Morrow spent Sunday at his home in Camptown, instead of at Athens, as has been reported.

Miss Helen Burke of Towanda spent Saturday with Mrs. Chas. Schraeder.

Miss Leol Marcy visited friends in New Albany last week.

Martin Chapman of Grover, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grace.

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LeRAYSVILLE.

Mrs. Henry Shortelle and daughters, Rena and Mary, returned from Utica last week.

C. H. Benham was up from Nichols Sunday.

A. F. Johnson is ill.

Mrs. R. M. Woodruff and Mrs. F. L. Baldwin were at Warren Centre on Wednesday.

C. H. Adney is at South Warren this week overhauling the creamery.

C. F. Ford was at Rummerfield on Monday.

J. V. Keeler is building a new auto house.

Willie Watson, an employe at the Johnson factory, lost one of his fingers in a machine recently.

Mrs. J. A. Wood of Chicago, Ill., was the guest of relatives in town Monday.

Miss Dora Fassett of Rushville, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

ALBA.

Mrs. Ardell Packard is slowly improving.

Miss Close, a sister of Mrs. Lee, is regaining her health.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Miller of Norwich N. Y., have mover on Troy street, opposite Frank Kiff's. He is a paper hanger and painter.

Mrs. Louise Case is staying with Mrs. M. L. Packard at present.

Miss Elizabeth Clark is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Dell Clark.

Mrs. Hattie Clark was surprised by her friends and neighbors recently.

Mrs. Nancy Foss is improving.

James Seeley's, youngest daughter, had gone to Elmira to see an eye specialist. Her eyes are in a critical condition.

Henry Becker has so far regained his health, as to be able to be at work again.

Walter Knights is improving his residence by new siding and paint.

LADDSBURG.

Mrs. Lucy Willcox of New Albany, spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. O. D. Covey.

Mrs. A. B. Chapman of Bernice, visited friends here a couple of days recently.

Mrs. Bryan of New Albany, spent last Wednesday with her niece, Mrs. J. W. Waltman.

Mrs. J. G. Grant, Mrs. F. R. Miller, Mrs. Frank Avery and Miss Pearl Miller have been ill with the grip.

Miss Ivy Grant is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Manley at East Canton.

Master Kenneth Manley of East Canton, is spending some time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Grant.

Mr. Page, who moved his family from Forkston to A. A. Waltman's house, is doing blacksmithing in F. R. Miller's shop.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jones, last Friday morning, a son.

COLD CREEK.

Jacob Gillman and son have gone to Wilkes-Barre to remain a few weeks on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Donley and Mrs. Alvah Smith visited at George Lacey's at opposition, one day last week.

Otto J. Ford, who is employed by C. A. Pratt of East Herrick, visited his parents in this place last Sunday.

The next meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held at Mrs. A. A. VanDemarks at Stevensville, Wednesday, May 5. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Nellie Becker of Naugatuck, Conn., who has been visiting relatives for a couple of weeks in this place, returned home Monday.

SPRINGFIELD.

Mrs. Herbert Stacy was called to Elmira last week to help care for her son and granddaughter, who are very sick.

The rag social held at the church parlors last Thursday evening passed off very nicely; proceeds $10. There will be served at the parlors a Dutch supper on May 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gates entertained Mrs. Warner and daughter from Coryland Sunday.

ANDES

STOVES and RANGES ARE UNEXCELLED FOR GOOD WORK.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Mrs. John Rockwell spent last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shattuck in Elmira.

Mrs. Mary Foulke of Wellsboro, is home for a short time.

Miss Katharine Blackwell spent part of last week at the home of her brother Lynn E. Blackwell in Luthers Mills.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Anna Mae Foulke to Lane Huntington the ceremony taking place on Wednesday evening April 28 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Foulke.

Constable T. E. Brownson was in Towanda Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Allyn and children of Washington, D. C., are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Piatt.

The commencement exercises of the school were held Tuesday evening in the M. E. church. The graduates were Misses Mary Bourne Abbie Rockwell, Ethel Bourne, Messrs D. A. Bourne, and Ivan Spencer.

Miss Abbie Rockwell came home Friday last from Mansfield to attend the commencement exercises.

RIDGEBURY.

Mrs. William Lefler spent a couple of days with relatives at Big Pond.

Mr. Haskin, Sr., who is in the plating business moved on Saturday to Waverly.

At the dance at Bentley Creek on Tuesday evening of last week given by the Centreville high school the sum of $35 was realized above expenses.

Mrs. Alfred Hammond has been quite ill with the grip for the past few days.

Mrs. Iva Smith has again taken a class in music in this vicinity.

Mrs. Peter Robinson went on Friday to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Ripley, in Steuben county, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Morley of Willard, N. Y., spent a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Burnham spent Saturday in Elmira.

The new Glen creamery received the first consignment of cream Thursday with a most flourishing prospect of a good business.

GROVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Innes of Bodines, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. James H. Eastgate.

Mrs. H. W. Hunter of Masten, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mc Neil last week.

Hubert Browning returned Saturday from a weeks business trip.

Miss Jenny and Paul Hoagland of Leroy, and Misses Mary and Lena Fitzwater of Beach Flats, spent Tuesday with the Misses Edna and Alma Wilcox, Tuesday being the birthday of Miss Jennie Hoagland and Miss Alma Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Reedy returned from visiting relatives in Shunk last week.

The Grover school closed last Monday.

William Hunter and F. McNeil of Masten were visitors in Grover Sunday.

Frightful Fate Averted.

"I would have been a cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, Kelliher, Minn., "without Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." Infallible for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures Burns, Scalds, Old Sores, Skin Eruptions. Worlds' best for Piles. 25c at Turner's Drug Store.

SYLVANIA.

J. C. Lee of Big Pond, spent Sunday night with his brother, Albert Lee and family.

Mrs. William Merritt is improving slowly.

Mrs. William Canedy is very ill.

O. C. Strait is very ill.

Mrs. Jesse Ripley is sick.

George Mosher was home from the Mansfield normal Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Evans of Sayre, spent last week with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cowan spent Sunday with their son and family at Covington.

Mrs. Milo Blackmer spent Sunday in Elmira, with her son and family .

S. M. Canedy went to Buffalo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thrall are both sick.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

All those interested in organizing a Sunday school will please meet at the church next Sunday at 2 p. m. Preaching will follow at 3.

Mrs. Alvin Sayles of Virginia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joel Dibble.

Born, on April 21, to Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Weed, a nine pound son.

Mrs. Theron Selleck spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Big Pond.

Miss Emily Allen is a guest at the home of her uncle, Frank Pepper, at Maple Lane.

M. B. Haight is improving in health.

FRANKLINDALE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and Mrs. Fred Rockwell are ill.

Robert Martin of Barclay, visited at H. Brown's last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Strope of Highland, visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Ellis visited the lady's mother, Mrs. Minard, at Monroeton Sunday.

Mr. and rMs. H. J. Bacon and daughter, Ethel, were calling on friends at Powell Sunday.

Charles Sickler visited his father, Gilbert Sickler, at Powell on Sunday.

HIGHLAND.

Mrs. H. L. Dodge returned home last week from the Williamsport hospital, where she underwent a critical operation.

Miss Elizabeth Jennings, who has been teaching school at Overton, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. U. Hainsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walburn were called to Burlington on account of the illness of the ladies' father, M. A. Bailey.

C. H. Jennings has been sick with grip.

Mrs. John Scott of Fisher Hill, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wilcox of West Franklin, spent Sunday at H. L. Dodge's.

Sunday school was organized Sunday, April 25 and the following officers were elected: Supt. H. C. Spencer; Ass't Supt., W. L. Hollenbeck; Treasurer, Miss Mary Walburn; Secretary, Miss Elizaebeth Jennings; organist, Mrs. T. J. Waters, Librarian, Miss Lula Hainsworth. The following teachers were elected: H. C. Spencer, W. L. Hollenbeck, Mrs. B. D. Jennings and Miss Elizaebeth Jennings. Sunday school every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. prompt.

WEST BURLINGTON

Constable T. E. Brownson was in Towanda last Monday.

Miss Abbie Rockwell of Mansfield Normal school, was home for a few days to attend the commencement exercises at the graded school.

Dix Ballard of Troy, is painting and papering at J. D. Blackwell's.

Principal B. D. Phillips and assistants Mrs. B. D. Phillips and Miss Carrie Johnson closed a successful term of school Tuesday last the commencement exercises were held in the M. E. church in the evening and were fine. The five graduates were Misses Mary and Ethel Bourne, Miss Abbie Rockwell, Messrs Ivan Spencer and D. A. Bourne.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Blackwell of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kellam of Pisgah, were guests Sunday at Deles Rockwell's.

Miss Mary Foulke of Wellsboro, is visiting her parents for a short time.

Messers Percy King, William Beman and Dr. W. L. Rider of Troy, were callers at M. A. Case's Sunday.

LAUREL HILL.

Mrs. Darrow is seriousiy ill with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wilson Grace, at Greens Landing.

Hazelton Bruce is working for Roy Weed.

George Nippard is building his house over. Messers. Sinclair of Saco are doing the work.

Mrs. McMorran and daughter, Luella, were at Athens on Monday.

Edwin Wright is trying to get the roads in good condition with his road drag.

Mrs. Ida Weed has been seriously ill the past two weeks with neuralgia. Mrs. Ella Mitchell of Smithfield, has been staying with her.

Miss Mable Carpenter, who had the misfortune to fall and dislocate her arm at the elbow, is getting better.

Mrs. George Seeley was called to Elmira last week by the serious illness of her sister.

Miss Henrietta McMorran was the guest of Miss Ethel Page at Greens Landing Sunday, and Monday visited the school there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ansel were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kline on Sunday.

TERRYTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Layman spent a few days last week with their son Fred on Vial Hill.

D. R. Jones of New Era, was calling at J. H. Schoonover's Wednesday.

The taxpayers of this village, pretty generally devoted their time last week to repairing the highways.

Rev. C. L. Remer, Mrs. J. E. Dodge and Mrs. J. L. Jones attended the Ladies Aid at Esquire Richard's at New Era, last Thursday.

S. W. and B. M. Terry, are improving the appearance of their home by painting.

Born, April 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Corey, a son.

G. M. Hoffman and E. H. Capwell are rafting quite extensively on their lumber job at Durell.

J. A. Schoonover and family of Lime Hill, visited his parents here Sunday.

Mrs. Matilda Jackson and Mrs. E. H. Roberts and daughter, were callers at G. G. Jackson's, Saturday.

HERRICKVILLE.

The Ladies Dime Circle will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. R. J. Graham on May 6, for dinner. A cordial invitation is extended to all, and the ladies are requested to bring their thimbles.

Mrs. G. L. Camp is spending some time at Towanda, visiting her brother, C. L. Stewart, and sister, Mrs. Alfred Thompson.

F. G. Atwood and wife gave a reception on Friday night, in honor of their daughter, Miss Pearle's sixteenth birthday. About 40 young people were present. The evening was spent in games and some fine music was enjoyed during the evening. About ten o'clock refreshments were served. Miss Pearl received a post card shower, and a number of presents were left her by her many friends. All enjoyed a pleasant evening.

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NEW ALBANY.

Mrs. Katheryn Cleury has returned to Patterson, N. J.

L. F. Marcy has moved his family to Monroeton. Mr. Marcy owns a clothing store there.

J. H. Saddler is home from Manlius, N. Y. for a few days to see his brother George, who has returned from the Sayre hospital rapidly recovering from his accident.

Mrs. Floy Campbell and little son, are visiting at C. J. Sumners.

Arunah Ladd is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Weed.

Archie Wayman was down from Sayre on Saturday.

Ed. Osborn was down from Athens over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Keeler and daughter spent Saturday in Dushore.

Dushore and New Albany opened the baseball season in our home diamond on Saturday p. m. Dushore winning by a score of 7-9.

Miss Maymie Goodman of Towanda spent part of last week at William Weeds'.

Ray A. Wilcox has a new automobile.

FASSETT.

Mrs. F. H. Decker is much better.

Mrs. Raymond Seymour and Mrs. Christian Hollow Tuesday.

Leroy Seymour visited friends in N. Reed was a visitor in Gillett the first of the week.

I. H. Mahaffey spent the week in Elmira and vicinity.

John Leidy, an old resident of this place, visited Mr. and Mrs. N. Reed Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie Balmer and Mrs. Francis Youmans were in Elmira on business Saturday.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens National Bank of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Feb. 5, 1909:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 573,896 54
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		170 51
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.		5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		297,874 13
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		30,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		15,199 32
Due from State Banks and Bankers		5,962 14
Due from approved reserve agents		126,307 21
Checks and other cash items		2,928 64
Notes of other Nat'l Banks.		3,515 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		410 10
Lawful Money Reserve in Banks, viz.		
Specie	$37,263 90	
Legal-tender notes	17,570 00	54,833 90
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$1,273,597 49

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,00 00
Surplus fund	55,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,609 90
National Bank notes outstanding	145,850 00
Due to other National Banks	549 61
Dividends unpaid	40 00
Individual deposits subject to check	285,419 66
Demand certificates of deposit	629,753 49
Certified checks	51 05
Cashier's checks outstanding	323 78
Total	$1,273,597 49

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford. ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of February, 1909.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

HENRY STREETER,
WM. MAXWELL,
R. A. HORTON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 5th, 1909:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 747,730 67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		187 87
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		250 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.		5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		127,279 81
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		37,400 00
Other real estate owned		11,050 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		12,494 88
Due from State Banks and Bankers		6,117 17
Due from approved reserve agents		208,169 36
Checks and other cash items		2,214 93
Notes of other Nat'l Banks.		8,455 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		348 69
Lawful Money Reserve in Banks, viz.		
Specie	$42,101 80	
Legal-tender notes	$22,990 00	65,091 80
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation		6,250 00
Total		$1,363 040 18

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	125,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	21,972 10
National Bank notes outstanding	124,100 00
Due to other National Banks	1,284 74
Dividends unpaid	255 00
Individual deposits subject to check	339,657 91
Demand certificates of deposit	642,486 75
Certified checks	84 15
Cashier's checks outstanding	8,199 53
Total	$1,363 040 18

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford. ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of February, 1909.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

E. F. KIZER,
Wm. LITTLE,
F. H. HAGERMAN,
Directors.

Attorneys.

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RODNEY A. MERCUR, Attorney-at-Law, and Solicitor of Patents. Particular attention paid to business in the Orphans Court, and to the settlement of estates Office in new Masonic Block, corner Main and Pine streets, Towanda, Pa.

WILLIAM MAXWELL, Attorney-at-Law Towanda, Pa. Special attention given to Fire and Life Insurance litigation. Orphans' Court practice and settlement of estates. Office over Dayton's store.

Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E. BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House

J. T. MARSDEN, Dentist. The Best Set of Teeth, $8; Gold Fillings, $1 and $2. All other fillings, 50c and 75c. Cleaning and Polishing Teeth, 50c; Teeth Extracted, 25c.

WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

Mrs. L. A. Allen.

Mrs. L. A. Allen of Laceyville die Sunday morning April 18, 1909, age sixty-four years, at the home of he daughter, Mrs. Newell Wickizer, a Wallace, N. Y. Mrs. Allen had bee in poor health for some time and went to her daughter's home about two months ago and about three week ago she submitted to a surgical opera tion when it was found that she wa suffering from a tumor. She never rallied from the operation and passed away as above stated. Deceased is survived by three daughters, Mrs Newell Wickizer, of Wallace, N. Y. Mrs. William Hay and Miss Georgia Allen of Naugatuck, Conn., and two sons, Harry of Sayre and John. One brother, Miner Wilcox of Dushore and four sisters, Mrs. H. I. Brown of Indian Hill, Mrs. Estella Slotrey and Mrs. Helen A. Mitchell of Wilkes Barre, and Mrs. G. M. Wheeler of Powell, also survive. The funeral was held at Powell Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. where interment was made.

John Murphy.

After several weeks illness of heart disease and asthma, John Murphy died at his home at New Albany Thursday morning, April 15, aged 71 years. He was a man of large experience, and an education gained by extensive travel, broadened his mind so that he was one of the most liberal minded men of the county. He went to the far west many years ago, sailing around Cape Horn. He engaged in mining and was successful in amassing a comfortable fortune. Returning to Albany township he settled on the farm recently sold by John Layman to Mr. Croak. For several years he has resided in his fine home in New Albany borough living a retired life. He is survived by his wife and six sons, viz: Frank and William of Chicago, John of Pittsburg, Michael of the U. S. army in the Philippine Islands, Stephen and Thomas of New Albany. Funeral and interment was held on Saturday at Overton.

James R. Morrow.

James Renwick Morrow, son of the late James and Margaret Ann Morrow, died at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning, April 20, at his home in Quick's Bend, Wilmot township, at the age of 55 years four months and 16 days. Mr. Morrow had spent his entire life in the community where he died and will be greatly missed by his many friends and neighbors. He had never enjoyed real good health, but during the past winter he suffered intensely from stomach trouble. Being ambitious, however, he had commenced his spring plowing and had been about his work up to the day before he died. Three sisters survive: Mrs. Reuben Larrabee, 306 N. Main street, Towanda, Mrs. C. F. Potter, 1512 Electric street, Scranton, and Miss Alice at home. Funeral services were conducted at Quick's Bend by the Rev. W. P. Miller of North Towanda. Interment was made in the Quicks Bend cemetery.

Mrs. Johanna Crimmins.

Mrs. Johanna Crimmins, widow of the late John Crimmins, died Thursday evening, April 22, at the home of her son, Patrick Crimmins, at Liberty Corners. Deceased was born in Cork, Ireland, 86 years ago, coming to America when 15 years of age. She had been a resident of Bradford county ever since coming to this country. She was highly regarded by a large circle of friends. Surviving are five sons: Patrick, John, Michael and Timothy Crimmins of Liberty Corners, and Dennis Crimmins living in Kansas.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Johnanna Crimmins were held at the Church of SS. Peter and Paul Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and were very largely attended. Rev. Hugh Ruddy conducted mass. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at North Towanda. The pallbearers were: Benjamin Bride, John Burke, T. J. Kirwan, Michael Maloney, Patrick Barrett and Thomas Hennessy.

Dr. W. L. Claggett.

Dr. W. L. Claggett one of Standing Stone township's oldest and best known citizens, died yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. C. Landmesser. Deceased was 88 years of age and during life enjoyed the esteem and respect of a large circle of friends. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Landmesser at whose home he died.

The funeral of the late Dr. Claggett was held at Rummerfield Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and was very largely attended. The services were held at the home of Mrs. F. C. Landmesser, daughter of the deceased. A large number of members of the Bradford County Medical Society of which the deceased was formerly president and for many years a member were in attendance at the obsequies. Dr. Claggett, who was 82 years of age at the time of his death, was undoubtedly the oldest practioner in this section.

John D. Bagley.

John D. Bagley, for many years a resident of Pratt avenue, Towanda, died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock after a week's illness. He was about 80 years of age, and is survived by three children, Frank Bagley and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman of Towanda, and John Bagley, Jr., of Corning. The funeral was held at the home of Frank Bagley Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock and at the Church of SS. Peter and Paul at 9 o'clock.

T. H. Matthews

T. H. Matthews one of the three first men to run trains out of Sayre a Lehigh Valley train dispatcher was found dead in his bed at the home of his aged mother, Mrs. William Matthews in Sayre Saturday morning. For several years Mr. Matthews had not been in good health, the trouble being heart disease. Mr. Matthews entered the employ of the Lehigh as a telegraph operator about the year 1870, being then employed in the office at Towanda. When the Lehigh headquarters office was moved from Towanda to Sayre in the year 1876 he went there as a train dispatcher. The dispatchers at that time were R. M. Badger, working the first trick, Mr. Matthews working the second trick and John McCall working the third trick. After being at Sayre for several years he was transferred to Buffalo at the time the main line was extended through from Sayre to that city. In Buffalo he was promoted to chief dispatcher and served for several years in that capacity. Then as advanced age came he returned to the duties as telegraph operator at Buffalo. About a year ago he was transferred from Buffalo to Sayre, and was employed in the Miltown office of the Lehigh. For the past six months he had been unable to perform any work. Mr. Matthews was born in Bordentown, N. J., 62 years ago. In Towanda where for a time Mr. Matthews resided, there are still many who will recall with kindliest memories this genial, warm-hearted neighbor and friend. His kindly nature made friends of all with whom he was associated and among the employees of the Lehigh Valley railroad especially, he was a general favorite. To these and to all who knew him his death will bring sincere and abiding sorrow. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma Moore Matthews, also his aged mother, and one sister, Mrs. John White of Sayre

The funeral of T. H. Matthews was held Monday morning at 11 o'clock, at the home of his mother, Mrs. William Matthews in Sayre, and the body was brought to Towanda on train No. 4 in the afternoon for interment. The funeral services at the house were conducted by Rev. E. C. Petrie, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Sayre. There were a large number of friends of the deceased at the service and many accompanied the remains to Towanda. Among the pall bearers was J. B. McCall of Buffalo, who with Mr. Matthews as train dispatchers ran the first trains from Sayre over the Lehigh in 1876. The other pall bearers were J. G. Kinney, chief dispatcher for the Lehigh, T. V. Sloat, dispatcher at Sayre, G. H. Lacey, in charge of the telegraph office at Sayre, J. W. Bishop and N. F. Marsh, lifelong friends of the deceased. Among the floral tributes were a beautiful wreath from B. of L. E. Division No. 388; the Ladies' Aid Society of Sayre and one from 30 Lehigh engineers. A large number of Towanda people, friends of the deceased, met the train at the upper station and went with the funeral party to Riverside cemetery, where interment was made.

Funeral of Charles H. Pflaum.

Funeral services for the late Charles H. Pflaum were held at his late home at Bernice Thursday, April 22, and were very largely attended, a large concourse of friends being present to pay their last respects to one they esteemed and admired during life. Interment was made in Peace cemetery, which is located about two miles from Dushore. Mr. Pflaum died in the Wilkes-Barre city hospital at noon on Monday April 19 from injuries received that morning. He was mangled beneath the wheels of a train of which he was brakeman and extra conductor. He was twisting the brake on a car while the train was switching at Ricketts, the brake gave way, allowing him to fall to the track where he was mangled by the wheels. He was hurried to the Wilkes-Barre hospital where he died at 12:15 o'clock. Deceased was 38 years of age, and had been employed on the Bernice branch for the past 16 years, living at Bernice. He was a hard worker, steady and reliable, and enjoyde the respect and esteem of all who knew him. He is survived by his wife and five children, three daughters and two sons, who mourn him as a loving husband and kind, affectionate father. He is also survived by his aged father, Charles Pflaum, Sr., of Dushore, and one sister, Mrs. Simon Breiger of Mechan Junction, Miss.

Mrs. Katherine Coney.

The death of Mrs. Katherine Coney, widow of Patrick Coney, occurred at her home in Troy Wednesday evening, April 21, following a long illness of heart trouble. Mrs. Coney was 70 years of age. She was born in Claire County, Ireland, and at the age of 15 years married Patrick Coney, later coming to this country. In 1859 they moved to Troy where the family has since resided. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and at 10:30 o'clock at St. John's Catholic church where solemn requiem mass will be held by Rev. Father Shields, assisted by Rev. Father Lawrence and Rev. D. Cantwell of Long Branch, N. J. Mrs. Coney is survived by one son, John, at home and five daughters, Mrs. Katherine C. Downes of Chicago, Katherine M. of Chicago, Anna of Elmira, and Ella and Frances at home.

Mrs. Arthur Head.

Mrs. Arthur Head of Towanda, died Sunday morning, April 25, 1909, at the family residence on State street, after a brief illness with pneumonia. In her death the community loses a lady of sterling character, and one who enjoyed the esteem and confidence of all who knew her. She was the youngest daughter of the late Thoams M. Woodruff, a prominent and respected citizen of Towanda, once sheriff of Bradford county, and Maria Briggs Woodruff. Early in life she united with the Presbyterian church, and has always been a devoted and consistent member, foremost in all good works, especially in the charitable work of the church. She was married to Arthur Head, Jan. 31, 1894. During the past year her health has been gradually failing, until at last she fell an easy victim to an attack of pneumonia. The absence of her husband, who had been at work in Philadelphia during the past winter added greatly to her cares and rendered her much more susceptible to the attack which ultimately caused her death. She was stricken with her fatal illness the day after he returned home. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Head, her mother, Mrs. Maria Woodruff of Troy, her half sister, Mrs. J. A. Parsons, of Troy, and her half brother, George H. Woodruff of Washington, D. C., and two small children, Robert Head and Wilbar Head. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family home on State street, Rev. John S. Stewart, D. D., Pastor of the First Presbyterian church, conducted the services. Interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Drislane.

Mrs. Mary Drislane died Monday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock of apoplexy. A year ago she suffered a stroke, but recovered and was in fairly good health until a week ago, when she was again stricken, becoming unconscious and never rallied, remaining unconscious to the end, in spite of the best of medical attention and many efforts to revive her. Deceased was born in Ireland 73 years ago, coming to America when but two years of age. Her maiden name was Mary Purcell. She was married to Michael Drislane, and all her married life was spent on the home farm on Towanda hill in Towanda township. Her husband passed to the great beyond 21 years ago. Mrs. Drislane was a lady of true christian spirit, kindly ways and affectionate manners which endeared her to a large circle of friends, who will deeply deplore her demise. Surviving are eleven children, six girls and five boys: Mrs. Christopher Zimmerman of Olean; Mrs. John Kirwan of Sayre; Mrs. M. S. Cronk of Towanda; Miss Nellie Drislane of Wilkes-Barre; Miss Eliza Drislane at home; Mrs. Earl Allen of Sayre; Michael, John, William and Frank Drislane at home, and Richard Drislane of Sayre. Two sisters and one brother also survive. Mrs. Bridget Stapleton, Mrs Daniel Hurley and James Purcell of Towanda.

George M. Chilson.

George M. Chilson died Sunday evening, April 25, at his home in South Towanda after a long illness. In his death, Towanda township loses one of it's most highly regarded citizens. He was born on August 25, 1831 in Towanda township, and his entire life was spent there. As a young man he was a carpenter, but was compelled to give up work about 25 years ago on account of failing eyesight. Six years ago he moved from Woodside to South Towanda, since which time he has not been out of his own yard. While his eyesight was good, he was a great reader, and was possessed of a remarkable memory. He was an interesting person, being familiar with a wide range of topics, which with his charming personalty made him a favorite with all who knew him. His wife, who was Irene McMicken, with two children, Arthur Chilson and Mrs. Robert Stroud survive. He also has two brothers living, Hiram and Levi Chilson. The funeral will be held at the house at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon and interment will be made at Liberty Corners.

Lucy Wells.

Lucy, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs Elwood Wells, died at her home at Rienz; on Tuesday morning, April 13, 1909. After a short illness, aged 1 year 1 month and 5 days. Funeral services were held at New Era church on Thursday at eleven o'clock. Rev. Blacklock of Evergreen officiating; Interment in New Era cemetery. She was a bright child, and the life light of her home. Little Lucy leaves to mourn her untimely demise besides a large circle of friends, a grief stricken father and mother.

Mahlon Towner.

A telegram was received at Rome on Friday last, announcing the death of Mahlon Towner, a well-known and one time resident of that place. He was buried at Tully, N. Y., Sunday at 1 o'clock. He leaves a number of relatives and friends in Bradford county to mourn his death, also a loving wife and two daughters at Tully, and two sisters, one at Warren and one in Washington, and one brother at Sayre.

Bruce Soper.

Bruce Soper, the fourteen months old baby that was taken from Dushore to the Packer hospital a few days ago suffering from an acute attack of septic peritonitis died Monday evening. It was thought that the child had appendicitis when brought to the hospital, but when the operation was performed it was found to be in very bad condition, and could not withstand the shock.—Athens News.

Mrs. Phillip I. Pierce.

The Beresford, South Dakota, Weekly News, gives the following account of the death of a native of this county: "Mrs. Phillip I. Pierce was taken sick last Sunday at her home in the northeast part of town, where Mr. and Mrs. Pierce have been living since they moved from the farm a couple of years ago. Her illness was of short duration for on Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1909, she was called to a better home. She leaves besides her husband, a son and a daughter to mourn their loss. They are Mrs. John Hartley and Sidney Pierce of Lansing, Iowa. Both were present at the funeral. Nancy Manora Allen was born in Bradford county, Pa., Aug. 30, 1828. She was united in marriage to Phillip I. Pierce in the city of Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 28, 1851. In 1856 she moved with her husband to Illinois and in 1858 they came to Iowa. In 1895 they sold out and came to Lincoln county, South Dakota, where they lived previous to moving to town. She united with the Methodist church in 1890 and died a firm believer in the faith of Jesus Christ. Funeral services were held at the house and later at the Zion church, conducted by Rev. Hunsberger. The remains were laid to rest in the Zion cemetery. Those from abroad who were here to attend the funeral were James Pierce of LeMars, Iowa, and Miles Pierce of Elk Point, brothers of the surviving husband."

Mrs. Lee Fairbanks.

The San Juan Prospector, published at Del Norte, Colorado, gives the following account of the death of Mrs. Lee Fairbanks, a native of this county: "Mrs. Lee Fairbanks quietly passed to the Great Beyond last Sunday morning, April 18, 1909. As stated in these columns last week, she had been a sufferer for a long period of time, and for the last nine weeks confined to her bed. On Friday evening April 10, a blood vessel burst in the brain, and from that time until the end her death was looked for hourly. While the direct cause of her death was the busting of the blood vessel it is thought that it was brought on by cancer of the stomach. Addie Smith Fairbanks was born in Bradford county, Pa., Nov. 20, 1850. Most of her life was spent at Canton, Pa. where her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. Smith, were long time residents. In February, 1888, she came from her home in Pennsylvania to Saguache to nurse a sick daughter. She was married to Lee Fairbanks Nov. 20, 1891 and they resided in Saguache until April 1, 1903, when they removed to Del Norte. She leaves to mourn their loss besides her husband and daughter in Del Norte, a son, U. G. Rockwell, of Croton, N. Y., and three grandchildren. The body was taken to Saguache, where it was buried in Hillside cemetery, beside her mother daughter and grand-daughter. No one loved her home, family and friends better than she, and she will be sadly missed from her small home circle."

Job Morley.

Job Morley, one of the best known and most prominent citizens of Western Bradford county, died at his home in Burlington borough Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, after a long illness. He had been an invalid for the past year, and death was due to a general breaking down of the entire system. Deceased was born in Athens 84 years ago last November. Nearly all his life was spent in Burlington, where he carried on farming on an extensive scale, being very successful. He was prominent in the affairs of his community and took an active interest in everything pertaining to the good of his neighborhood. All during his life he enjoyed the respect and esteem of a large number of friends who will regret to learn that he is no more. He was never married, and his nearest surviving relative is his sister, Mrs. Samuel Ovenshire of Athens. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

Hiram Daugherty.

Hiram Daugherty, one of Orwell's well known and highly respected citizens, died at his home April 26, after a brief illness. He leaves one son, Alfred Daugherty which whome he lived and three daughters Mrs. O. N. Parks and Mrs. F. T. Allen of Lestershire, N. Y., and Mrs. A. D. Stalker, of Rome.

Samuel Ridall.

Samuel Ridall of Elmira, formerly of Towanda, and son of Mrs. E. A. Knapp of Packer avenue died very suddenly of heart failure, sitting in his chair in the office of his employer about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, April 27.

Badly Afflicted.

Thomas Hakes of New Albany, has entered the Packer hospital at Sayre for treatment for a serious affliction. He has tuberculosis of the bones. When he was a baby it was necessary to remove a part of a diseased fibula. Twenty years ago an ulcer of the bone of his left arm developed. Necrosis, or decay of the bone followed and at that time an operation was performed, the diseased part of the bone being chiseled away. Then the 20 years passed he reached the age of 32 years and three weeks ago the humerus of his left arm, close to the shoulder again ulcerated. The resulting decay quickly extended through the bone and in attempting to move the arm the rotton bone fractured It will be impossible to get the decayed bone to re-unite and an amputation in the shoulder is all that remains to be done says the hospital doctors.

Register's Office News.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Phoebe Bowman, late of the Township of Towanda, deceased, granted to Betsey Cornell and A. M. Cornell.

MARRIAGE RECORD

McCall—Camp.

At the parsonage of the First Methodist Episcopal church, in Towanda, on April 26, 1909, by the Rev. Edmund M. Mills, D. D., Miss Katie Camp, of Powell, was married to Walter McCall, of Gloversville, N. Y.

Morgan—Gamble.

At the parsonage of the First Methodist Episcopal church, of Towanda, on April 27, by Rev. Edmund M. Mills, D. D., Miss Mandana Gamble, of Wyalusing, was married to Harry Earl Morgan, of Endicott, N. Y.

Waldon—Broshart.

John Waldon, of Satterfield, and Miss Florence Broshart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Broshart, of Cherry, were married at the Catholic church at Dushore on Wednesday morning, April 21, by Rev. Xavier Kaier.

McDonald—Cadden.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday morning, at 8 o'clock in St. Basil's church, Dushore, when Miss Clair Cadden and John McDonald were married by Rev. X. A. Kaier. The bridesmain was Miss Josephine Cadden, a sister of the bride, and the groomsman was Miles Burns. The bride was beautifully attired in white messaline silk and white hat, and the bridesmaid was dressed in white. A sumptuous wedding breakfast was served, those present being Josephine Cadden, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hope, Mr. and Mrs. James Bergan of Wilkes-Barre, Miles Burns, Mrs. J. S. McDonald, Miss Julia McDonald, Miss Nellie Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald, and John Cadden. The happy couple left on the 10 o'clock train for Kane, Williamsport, Scranton and other eastern cities, after which they will return to the groom's ready home. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends.

Harford—Mason.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock April 14, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Seafus at Elmira when Salome Louise Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mason of South Creek township, and Benjamin Lewis Harford of Waverly, were united in marriage by the Rev. G. W. Warren of the North Persbyterian church in the presence of fifty relatives of the contracting parties. Miss Thersia Benson played the wedding march. The bride and groom were attended by Misses Mary and Cora Seafuse nieces of the bride and Messrs. Walter Messimer and Hovey Drake. Little Doris and Florence Seafuse were flower bearers.

The presents were many and beautiful consisting of table linen, silver, dishes and glass ware, money and chair. Mr. and Mrs. Harford visited the groom's brother in Binghamton on their wedding tour and on their return will reside with the brides parents at Spring Farm in South Creek township.

Moyer—Moscrip.

A wedding of interest to many people in Bradford county was that of Miss Emma L. Moscrip, daughter of W. S. Moscrip, formerly of Towanda, to Ralph N. Moyer of Washington, D. C. The ceremony was solemnized at the home of the bride in Roxborough, Philadelphia, at 4 p. m., on Saturday, April 24. Rev Hugh B. McCrone united the young people as they stood beneath a bower of palms and English daisies. Miss Helen Wattles of Pittsburg, a cousin of the bride, was brides maid. Miss Fannie Moscrip, sister of the bride was flower girl, carrying a large boquet of pink sweet peas. Garland Kendrick of Washington was best man. The bride was attired in a becoming gown of embroidered mull and carried white bridal roses. Miss Wattles, the bridesmaid wore a handsome gown of batiste and carried pink bridal roses. After a wedding supper, Mr. and Mrs. Moyer left for an extended Eastern trip, after which they will be at home in Colon, Republic of Panama, at the Garfield. Mr. Moyer is employed on the Isthmus as chief claim clerk and timekeeper for the Panama Railroad company.

Easter Gift.

Says the Troy Gazette-Register: "Among the Easter gifts to St. Paul's Episcopal church, this boro, was a set of lesson markers for the bible, with the silver crosses suitably inscribed from the Misses Hopkins of Wyalusing in loving memory of their father, the Rev. George P. Hopkins, who was for many years the rector of St. Paul's."

Good Idea.

Athens, Sayre, South Waverly and Waverly have united in a commercial quartette and will do everything in their power toward the industrial advancement of Northern Bradford county. D. R. Stephens of Athens, has been chosen temporary chairman, and early in May a permanent organization will be formed.

Pays Half the Costs.

Prof. Keller, the principal of the Laceyville school who had a trial at Tunkhannock last week on the charge of unduly punishing a young lady pupil of the school, was found "not guilty", but was sentenced to pay one-half of the costs of the case.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued Tuesday: Robert A. Lane and Bessie F. Harris both of Smithfield; Francis Zambo and Ydirgo Charmira, both of Powell; Henry E. Morgan of Endicott, N. Y., and Mandama Gamble of Sugar Run.

HOBO COMPELLED TO DROP STOLEN CLOTHES.

Tramps Enter House at Rummerfield, But Fail to Get Away With Booty.

About 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning of last week, four tramps southbound on a freight train, entered the home of W. H. Coe, engineer at the Lehigh pump station at Rummerfield, and stole a suit of clothes.

Mrs. Coe heard the thieves, but supposed it was her son, until she saw the strangers leaving the premises. She called to them, but they fled, and she telephoned to the station agent at Rummerfield, who gave chase, and the hobo carrying the stolen suit of clothes dropped his booty and clambered aboard the train with his companions.

Auctioneer Discharged.

John Krank, the auctioneer, who disposed of the Bartlett jewelry stock in Sayre and Athens, was arrested Monday night in Waverly while conducting a similar sale in Towner's jewelry store for alleged violation of the ordinance in refusing to pay a license fee of ten dollars per day. Mr. Krank was paroled in the custody of his attorney and given a hearing Tuesday afternoon, when he was discharged.

Will Require Rest of Week.

The case of Innes vs. McFadden and the West Virginia Pulp and Paper company which is being heard in court this week, will require several days to complete. Judge Charles E. Terry of Wyoming county, is hearing the case. The attorneys are; Lilley & Wilson and William Maxwell for the plaintiff, and Candor and Munson of Williamsport, Stone & Brooks of Canton, and T. D. Baumbaunt of New York city for the defendants.

Company Will Go.

Protection Hose company of Athens held a meeting at their rooms Monday night to consider the question of whether the company should attend the firemen's convention held at Wellsville this year. It was decided that "Protection company would be there" and a committee was appointed to attend to the securing of a band, etc.—Sayre Times-Record.

Clothing Man Coming.

Frank McCammmon representing the H. S. and M. Hart, Schaffners, & Max tailor made clothing will be at Kaufman's clothing house on Thursday, April 29, with the full line of Winter suitings and overcoats.

New Haymakers.

A number of tramps were devamped and transformed into full fleged members of the Towanda Haymaker's association at a special meeting held Wednesday evening. After the initiation a smoker was held.

THE NUMBER THIRTEEN.

Time Was When It Used to Be Considered Lucky.

Abstract science has done much in brushing away the cobwebs of popular superstition, and abstract science establishes the fact that thirteen in ancient times had quite a different meaning from the thirteen of today. Oriental people found in thirteen something divine and hence something good. Thus it is in the folklore of the Persians, the Indians and Hindoos.

Old Testament Jews were of the same opinion, as Biblical students well know. Thirteen cities were especially dedicated to the priestly tribe; thirteen high priests descended from Aaron; thirteen kings sat in the high council of the ancients; on the 13th day of the month Nisan the preparations for Passover began, and the holy incense consisted of thirteen different odors.

It is well known that all the nations of the old world were in more or less intellectual rapport. The ideas of one tribe descended to the other. But it is certainly interesting to learn that the figure 13 had its sacred and divine meaning also in America of yore among the long since extinct tribes of the Incas and the Aztecs. The inhabitants of Peru counted seven days without any particular name in the week. Their year had seven times fifty-two days, or four times thirteen weeks. The father was compelled to support his illegitimate child to the thirteenth year. The Aztecs had weeks of thirteen days, each with a special name. Their century had fifty-two years, or four times thirteen. Their public archives were of circular form, with a sun in the center of each of the thirteen parts, and thirteen were their tribes.

Spiritual Reason.

The Minister—Mackintosh, why don't you come to church now? Mackintosh—For three reasons, sir. Firstly, I dinna like yer theology; secondly, I dinna like yer singin', and, thirdly, it was in your kirk I first met my wife.—Dundee Advertiser.

HONOR ROLLS

Wysox Center.

The following pupils of Wysox Center school were neither absent nor tardy during the seventh month of school; Isla Davies, Ruth Hollis, Edna Hollis, Ella Hardenstine, Thomas Davies.

SHESHEQUIN.

Mrs. D. W. Tripp of Athens, visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Tompkins, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kinner and daughter Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rodgers, and son Arthur and Mrs. Minier attended the social at George Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Snyder and daughter Ethel, spent Saturday in Athens.

Bert Rodgers and Bert Snyder, attended Lodge at Athens Tuesday night.

The Methodists will hold a Box social at D. S. Boardman, Tuesday night, May 4. All are cordially invited.

The Aid society of the Universalist church meet at Mrs. Frank Tompkins Thursday. Net proceeds about $5.

ROME.

Mrs. Nellie Bingham of Waverly, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hicks, a few days last week.

Miss Margaret Maloney is boarding with Mrs. Bertha Knapp and attending the teachers drill.

Lem. Maynard is home again with his mother.

Bird Cannon and wife made a business trip to Towanda last Thursday.

Mrs. William Bennett is doing some papering for Mrs. Haney on Taylor Hill.

G. M. Sickler is repainting Mrs. Lydia Vought's house, recently damaged by fire.

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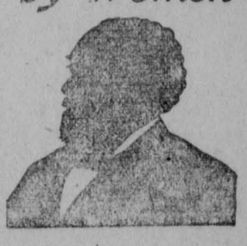

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THE GOVERNOR SHOULD VETO IT.

There will be no lack of candidates for the judgeship of Bradford county, which is the 42d judicial district, whether the governor signs the judges' increase of salary bill or not. The judge gets $5,000 a year now and it is enough. If the proposed bill passes he will receive $7,000. Six years ago, in 1903, the salary was increased from $4,000 to $5,000, an increase of 25 per cent It is less than six years since the increase went into effect. Now it is proposed to add $2,000, which is an increase of 40 per cent. on the present salary and of 75 per cent. on the salary paid six years ago. Whoever heard of a more extravagant or unreasonable proposition?

The Philadelphia Press has commented on the matter as follows:

There is grave danger of making judgeships political spoils by attachng to the honor a salary that will tempt men to seek it for the pay. Judges should be fairly paid, but the state will not have good judges unless the position is sought for the honor, power and consideration it gives to the holder in the community and not for the pay alone.

It is better that a man who aspires to the bench or is willing to accept an appointment, should take the place at some pecuniary sacrifice rather than he should be financially benefitted by securing the position. A higher type of men and a better class of judges are secured under such conditions. When the salary is so high as to be a glittering bait, second-rate men who are unable to make an equally good income at their practice will seek and strive and struggle for judgeships.

High salaries do not insure high class judges. A salary large enough to lead men to aspire to the bench for the pay alone is hurtful to the bench. The honor, power and dignity of the position should be its chief attractions. The proposed increase is unreasonable, unjust and unwise. It is altogether against the policy of economy which Governor Stuart has enforced, and therefore in our judgment it cannot receive his approval.

Up to the end of last week Governor Stuart had disposed of 64 of the 733 bills which the legislature turned over to him at adjournment, and he has until May 15 to act on the rest By passing nearly all of its bills too late for a veto to be received and overruled the legislators made the governor the real lawmaker. Nearly the entire work of the session is in his hands for approval or veto, and his say will be final. By appropriating something like $20,000,000 more than the fund available the legislature not only made an ass of itself but threw on the governor the task of cutting appropriations down that much. A contemporary suggests that the unfortunate situation may not work out so badly if Governor Stuart will hew to the line and cut out every measure that places burdens on the people either by needlessly increasing expenses or by authorizing the imposition of new taxes. We suggest that an excellent way to undo in part the foolish work of the legislature would be to veto the judges' salaries increase bill and veto it hard. The measure calls for an annual increase of expense to the state of $350,000 a year.

BRADFORD COUNTY BUTTER AGAIN.

A couple of weeks ago we were bragging about Bradford county butter because two or three Bradford county makers scored high on the roll of honor in a contest inaugurated by State College, and now it is surely in order for us to brag again. The announcement has been made that the United States government has just awarded to a Troy creamery a contract for 350,000 pounds of Bradford county butter. The award was made against bidders from the famous butter districts of Illinois and Ohio, and the entire lot is to be made by a Troy creamery. The butter will be shipped in installments to the Brooklyn navy yard and will be consumed on government ships. The purchasing agents of the United States navy have shown excellent judgment, and the jackies will be nourished by as good butter as is made in the world. Bradford county butter has for years stood at the head of the list, but undoubtedly this is the largest single order ever placed in the county. Thousands of eulogies have been pronounced on the high quality of our dairy output and this is but another one—the last and the most eloquent. The dairymen of Bradford county are and have a right to be proud of the reputation they have achieved. May their skill never diminish.

George Eliot says: "I cannot abide to see men throw away their tools the minute the clock strikes, as if they took no pleasure in their work, and was afraid o' doing a stroke too much. The very grindstone 'll go on turning a bit when you loose it."

GOOD IDEA.

The teaching of agriculture and domestic sciences in the schools, a product of the fertile brain of County Superintendent of Schools Herbert S. Putnam, is fully outlined in another column of today's paper. We must confess that at first we were opposed to the loading down of the present system of teaching, and were very much against the adding of the studies of agriculture and domestic science, but we have changed our mind and are inclined to believe Superintendent Putnam has the right idea which if given a fair trial will be a great help to the boys and girls of Bradford county.

We would suggest, however, that in addition to these studies and experiments, that the boys and girls be reminded that their bodies, as well as their minds need caring for. As the old saying goes, "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." Every boy and girl in school should be reminded daily that exercising is just as much a necessity to make good men and women as all study.

If more of this was explained to the school pupils there would be fewer ronud shouldered boys, and ill formed girls. It is not necessary to buy apparatus, but systematic exercising a few minutes each day will work wonders.

And further we would suggest along this line that the boys and girls in the rural districts be urged to equip themselves with something for a little pleasure while their crops are growing. For instance, tennis court on the farm would furnish the young people with something which would make them strong physically, and give them something to do during the remaining hours of daylight after the chores are done.

Now that the quarantine restrictions imposed on account of the foot and mouth disease have been lifted by the state and Federal government, cattle men and state officials are quoted as saying they consider it to have been the best campaign ever waged against the cattle plague. The quarantine applied for a time to the shipment of cattle at Sayre. It cost the state and national governments possibly $300 000 to eradicate the disease, but the history of the plague shows that never before in so short a time has its spread been stopped. The state veterinary department is a most efficient organization,—officered by men who know their business The first case of the plague was noted on November 6 in Montour county, and within two weeks the whole state was in Federal quarantine. So vigorous was the action of state veterinary Pearson and his staff acting in conjunction with the national authorities, that 2 000 head of cattle were found to be suffering from the disease and slaughtered before the middle of December.

There is going to be a local option mass meeting at Harrisburg next month, and the newspapers say that members of the legislature who voted for local option will be invited as guests of honor and those who voted against it can stay at home. This arrangement lets in our Bradford county members, for they stood loyally by local option. The Bradford county Prohibitionists, who in their convention in Towanda a few days ago seemed to take it for granted that local option was done for in Pennsylvania, will note that the optionists are up and doing livelier than ever and evidently have no idea that they are defeated. Besting a cause whose supporters don't know when they are licked is tiresome and discouraging work. That was one fault the Rebels complained of in General Grant.

A perusal of the interesting article in this issue of the Reporter-Journal from the pen of Mr. J. W. Ingham of Sugar Run, will show that a man who was once vice-president of the United States was afterward content to serve in his state's legislature. Attainment to a high office does not always cause a man to put his sights so high that forever afterward nothing modest will satisfy him but a man who attains to the vice-presidency is more apt to have been in the legislature first than to land there afterward, and there is no doubt that some men who get to the legislature but never to the vice presidency are better satisfied with themselves over it than are some men who get to be vice-president but never achieve the legislature.

The people of Susquehanna county are evidently well pleased with their member of legislature, Mr. Jones, whose activity in support of good roads legislation was so great that he came to be known as "Good Roads Jones." We think their confidence is not misplaced. Last week's Montrose Republican said: "If there had only been more Smiths and Browns like our Jones in the last legislature the reputation of that body would have been greatly improved."

Senator Moses Shields is deserving of credit for his work in securing for the Susquehanna hospital an appropriation of $7,500, an increase of $2,000 over what had been anticipated Mr. Shields investigated the conditions at the hospital a number of weeks ago, and realizing the necessity of more funds, worked hard for the increase. It is something of a victory, inasmuch as appropriated generally were reduced.—Montrose Republican.

In giving advice to Emma Goldman the Washington Star offers the timely hint that will apply everywhere, that this is a free country, but not a free and easy country.

Don't fail to read the article headed "agriculture in the schools" in another column of today's paper.

DON'T RIDICULE YOUR BOY.

Many a boy has gone to bed in tears because his father criticized or denounced his effort at playing the violin, made fun of a simple little composition or story which he wrote, discouraged his attempt to make some little merchanical device, or threw a wet blanket on his dreams, laughing at his prediction of what he would do in the future.

A man who has recently come into great prominence in his profession says that when, tremblingly, he told his father what he wanted to be, he was told that a padded cell was the only place for a boy with such crazy ideas, and that he was forced for years to do that which God had forbidden in every fiber of his being, and against which every drop of blood in him protested.

The father who has made up his mind that his son must continue his business and keep his estate intact, is not in a position to decide on the boy's bent—his special aptitude. He is prejudiced at the very outset.

The reason why there are so many mediocre men and women in the world, and so many failures, is because they never found their right places.

Everywhere we see men and women capable of much better things, who were discouraged and diverted from their natural bent when young. Their own families did not take stock in them; they laughted at their young ambitions, and strangled their aspirations, either by harsh treatment, or what is even worse, ridicule; and their teachers did not understand them.

You cannot read the sealed message which God has wrapped up in your boy or girl, and you should regard it as sacred. You should respect the dreams of future greatness of your son, because the Creator may have intended him for a grand and far reaching mission. You cannot tell what is going on in his mind. You cannot tell what possibilities are locked in his brain. He may be perfectly conscious at this moment that he was intended for a much higher place in the world than you are occupying yourself and to denounce him, to scoff at his dreams to laugh at his predictions for the future may be a source of great humiliation to you some day. It may also work incalculable injury to your boy. A thousadn times better strike him with your hand than blast his hopes by ridicule or by a cruel, chilling, cutting word.—O. S. Marden, inSuccess.

SEEING AFTER THE FARMERS.

It was not generally known, we believe, that our strenuous ex-President also makes pretensions to knowing all about farm life. In the last number of the 'Outlook," to which instead of to Congress we must now look for his odd moment diversions, we find an article on its front cover page, printed in italic type, to this effect:

"I warn my countrymen that the great recent progress made in city life is not a full measure of our civilization; for our civilization rests at bottom on the wholesomeness, the attrativeness and the completeness as well as the prosperity of life in the country. The men and women on the farms stand for what is fundamentally best and most needed in our American life.

"Upon the development of country life rests ultimately our ability, by methods of farming requiring the highest intelligence, to continue to feed and clothe the hungry nations, to supply the city with fresh blood, clean bodies and clear brains that can endure the terrific strain of modern life; we need the development of men in the open country, who will be in the future, as in the past, the stay and strength of the nation in time of war, and its guiding and controlling spirit in time of peace."

The use of rat skins in various industries has created a demand in London alone to the amount of nearly $200,000 a year, states a British publication. They are used among other things for bookbinding, photograph frames, purses, and for the thumbs of ladies' gloves. A new branch of work is likely to increase the consumption largely, and as much as 75 to 90 cents a day have been earned by the unemployed in Denmark last year, when the rat Act was passed. The damage done by rats in England alone is estimated to amount to many million dollars per annum, and their capture already occupies a large number of persons.

The Filipinos do not seem to know where they are at in tariff matters any more than does our own Congress. Their delegates at Washington at the present moment declare that free trade betwen the United States and the Philippines would be ruinous to the latter, while other prominent Filipinos keep writing to President Taft that free trade means the salvation of their country. And there you are.

In the United States District Court at Springfield, Missouri, one day last week, the Judge sentenced a young boy employed as a mail carrier to six months' detention in the State Reform School for embezzling postal funds amounting to two cents. He was accused of having appropriated two cents given him to buy a stamp, and then destroying the letter he was to mail. That seems like a pretty severe punishment for so small an embezzlement.

The Scranton Truth celebrated the 25th anniversary of its birthday the other day, and Hon. John E. Barrett has been its editor in chief from the beginning. The editorship of so excellent a newspaper as The Thuth for a quarter of a century is a record to be proud of.

THE SCORE CARD DAIRY INSPECTION.

Modern investigations in dairy sanitation have shown the importance of producing and handling milk under clean conditions, and a significant factor in attaining that result is the score card system of dairy inspection, according to Clarence B. Lane and George M. Whitaker in a report just published by the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. The main advantage that they attribute to the score card system is that it deals with itemized conditions. City milk inspection a few years ago was merely a matter of detecting added water or preservatives. With recent progress in sanitary science the work has broadened, and Boards of Health are now investigating the sanitary phases of milk production, transportation and distribution.

In the smaller cities and towns most of the milk consumed is retailed by the producer, and even in places of considerable size many producers are also retailers. In cases where the functions of producer and retailer are merged in one person an inspection of the dairy farm discloses the methods of distribution as well as production, and the dairy farm score card answers all purposes under such conditions.

To illustrate: One large milk company added the following note to the list of prices: "These prices apply only to those dairymen whose premises are scored 60 per cent. or higher by the Department of Health. Those who score less than this will have a reduced price paid, and milk from dairies scoring less than 50 per cent. is not desired and will not be accepted."

Unless public sentiment demands a good quality of milk and consumers are ready to meet the increased cost, improvement must necessarily be slow.

Sunday was the ninetieth anniversary of the institution of Odd Fellowship in America. The first lodge was instituted in the city of Baltimore, Md., on April 26th, 1819, and has had a phenomenal growth, being the largest fraternal and benevolent organization in the world today. The many members of the order in Towanda and Bradford county, as well as in other places, have every reason to be proud of their organization.

TWENTY-SEVEN JUSTICES COMMISSIONED BY GOVERNOR

Had Been Elected to Fill Vacancy or Re-elected to the Office.

The commissions for 27 justices of the peace in Bradford county have been received at the office of the register and recorder and are ready for those for whom they are intended. In the county there are 37 townships and 14 boroughs, each being allowed two justices of the peace, making a total of 102. Th following 27 are those who were elected to fill vacancies or re-elected at the February elections:

J. H. Orcutt.....Towanda
William Maxfield....South Towanda
W. S. Holland.....Troy Borough
Ralph A. Burr.....Troy Borough
H. J. Whitaker,.....Nichols Rfd 29
D. W. Sullivan.....Gillett
James Quinn,.....Sugar Run Rfd 43
J. N. Booth.....Monroe Borough
S. D. Steinger.....ew Albany
G. G. Corbin.....Potterville
Lyman Richards,.....Ulster Rfd. 18
A. E. Blakeslee.....Smithfield
Horace Keeler.....Milan Rfd 22
W. A. Bullock.....Springfield
Asa Ennis.....Standing Stone
P. A. Slade.....Sylvania
George Richards..Rfd. 41 Wyalusing
John A. Fox.....Rfd. 40 Wyalusing
Albert L. Kelly.....Rfd. 9 Towanda
LeRoy Thomas....Athens Township
G. G. Lane.....Rfd. 2 Towanda
E. J. Cleveland.....Canton Borough
W. T. Lawrence.....East Canton
O. B. Besley....Columbia Township
C. L. Allen.....Rfd. 49 Powell
Encell Taylor.....Granville Centre
W. A. Cooper.....Athens Rfd. 25
G. H. Smalley.....Monroe Borough
James Terry....Rfd. 46 New Albany

GOVERNOR WILL CHOP DOWN APPROPRIATIONS.

Will Trim All Bills in Effort in Keep Expenditures Down to Income.

Governor Stuart has given notice that he will chop the life out of bills as far as they pertain to expenditures in an effort to keep the expenses of the state within the limit of revenue.

In order that there may be a clear understanding on the part of the public as to the amount of funds available for runing the state government and for appropriation to hospitals, charities and other purposes the governor will issue a statement showing in detail the requests for funds and the money available to meet these requests.

The appropriations made by the legislature total $68,000,000, and according to the latest estimate, the revenues available will not exceed $46,000.000. If this estimate proves correct it will mean that Governor Stuart will have to lop off some $22,000,000 from the total appropriations in order to make both ends meet. In order to do this he is likely to reproduce the appropriations to hospitals and charities from 10 to 15 per cent. and veto some bills carrying large appropriations.

Holmes at the Hospital.

Thomas Holmes, who was injured by falling down a flight of steps in the rear of the Holcomb house one evening last week, is under treatment at the Packer hospital at Sayre. His left hip was fractured, and the hospital doctors fear he will be crippled for life.

The road at the East end of the James street bridge is being graded.

ACCEPTS $10,000,000 OFFER TO REACH MARS

Texans Ask Harvard Professor to Signal the Planet.

Boston, April 27.—William Henry Pickering, professor of astronomy at Harvard university, will accept an offer he received from Fort Worth, Tex., to superintend extensive experiments for signaling to the planet Mars.

Professor Pickering received a telegram saying that a fund of $10,000,000 would be raised for the purpose.

"The brevity of the telegram does not permit me to say from what source the money for the experiment is coming," he declared, "but the telegram was signed with reputable names.

"Mars' average mean distance from the earth in the last several years is approximately 45,000,000 miles, but late next summer the planet will swing round to a position only 35,000,000 miles from the earth. If an observatory of efficiency is in working order in the clear atmosphere of the west Texan hills about that time some very surprising observations and records might be obtained."

PROHIBITION CLOSES A PLANT

Demand For Tumblers Has Suffered a Big Slump.

Pittsburg, April 27.—Prohibition has caused a decided slump in the glass and tumbler business.

The Huntington Tumbler company will have to shut down for lack of orders.

GEORGE G. BURROUGHS IS NOW FULL FLEDGED MINISTER.

Former Towandian Ordained at Jackson Summit on April 13.

George G. Burroughs, a former well known resident of Towanda, where he was connected with the Y. M. C. A., is now a full fledged minister. A correspondent writing from Jackson Summit, Tioga county, gives the following account of his ordination:

"The Jackson Summit Baptist church of which he has been pastor since about the middle of January, recently issued a call for an ordaining council to meet at that place at 2 p. m. on the 13th inst. A severe wind storm raged all day and a heavy rain set in in the evening, but notwithstanding the unfavorable whether conditions, a creditable number of delegates responded to the call. The afternoon was spent in a very thorough and somewhat rigid examination of the candidate as to his Christian experience, call to the ministry and scriptural views of Bible doctrine."

At the close of the examination the congregation was dismissed, and without leaving the room the council by a unanimous vote declared themselves as satisfied with the experience and Bible views of the candidate and announced that the ordaining services would be held in the evening and despite the rain a large congregation gathered to witness the ceremony.

"The following pastors of Tioga Baptist Association officiated: G. G. Langford, Wellsboro; R. M. Hunsicker Mansfield; F. H. Baker, Galeton; W. H. Porter, Slate Run; B. H. Eddy, Charleston; W. H. Hunt, Westfield, and R. E. Velines, Covington. Rev. E. Burroughs, of Burlington an uncle of the candidate, was present and by a vote of the body was accorded a seat in the council and preached the ordaining sermon from these words, "My heart is fixed," Psalms 57:7."

Anything But a Skiddo.

The Wyalusing Rocket starts on it's 23rd volume last week. During the past week, the paper has been improved, and a Merganthaler linotype, one of the most expensive and greatest labor saving machines ever invented for the printer has been installed in the office. The Rocket always was a newsy sheet, but since the installation of the linotype it has added more set matter to it's pages and the result has been very noticeable. Editor Keeler can be justly proud of the Rocket, as can the people of Wyalusing and vicinity. The publishers promise to further improve the paper, and one of these days The Rocket is expected to come down on the Review's exchange table a regular "eight pager."

Back in Towanda.

George H. Trapp, one of the best known shoe salesmen in this section, is back in Towanda, having taken a position with W. L. Spencer at the Red Star Shoe store. Mr. Trapp held a clerkship in the Clark shoe store in Towanda some years ago, has been employed in a big store in Atlantic city, and was manager of the shoe department of the Karner store in Athens for several months, until that firm went out of business. He knows the shoe business from a to z and will be a valuable acquisition to the Red Star.

WEST VALLEY.

Mrs. Wm. Dixon and daughter Gladys of Laceyville, visited at Sterling Dixon's the last of the week.

Miss Ethel Vought is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. L. Rockefeller, at Overshot.

Miss Adah Robinson is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Harland Schoonover, at Rummerfield.

Mrs. J. L. Hill visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Beach, who is ill with the grip at her home in Myersburg.

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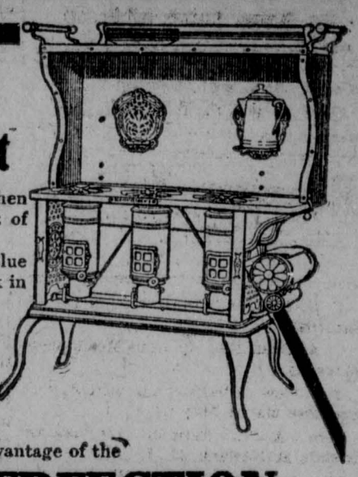

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The Altoona Tribune asks: "Why should not self-interest lead able and experienced business men to take an active part in local politics?" That question is asked over and over again. The answer is that there is no reason why citizens should not exercise the rights and perform the duties of citizens.

Persona Grata.

The Old Bulldog—They're going to chain us up on Sunday nights now. The Young Bulldog—How's that, governor? The Old Bulldog—The new feller that's started calling on Miss Mamie has got money.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Let Fortune come under what haggard form she may, they hug her in their arms and swear she is a beauty. —Le Sage.

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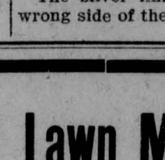

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TOWANDA, PA., APRIL 29, 1909.

F. N. Kerrick was over from Durell Saturday.

C. A. Dean was up from Meshoppen Saturday.

The New Albany high school will graduate six on May 6.

Mrs. A. C. Fanning is visiting friends at Newark, N. J.

Mrs. Anna Burroughs of West Franklin, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. H. Sattler is visiting relatives and friends in Danville, Pa.

A Bell telephone has been installed in the home of Chief of Police Miller.

I. A. Williams of Sayre, is a Democratic candidate for jury commissioner.

Mrs. W. F. Rhodes of New Albany, was among the many in Towanda Saturday.

The next meeting of the Presbytery of Lackawanna will be held at Ashley.

David Bruce of Buffalo, is spending a few days with his mother in Towanda.

Born, April 17, to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Deyo of Laquin, a five pound daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burroughs of Burlington, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Terry of New Albany, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Lenox of Mountain Lake, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Gould and Mrs. C. E. Mansell of Laceyville, spent yesterday in Towanda.

Mrs. James P. Conomikes and Miss LouEtta Baker have returned from a visit in Laceyville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Brown and Miss Harriet Brown of Laceyville, spent yesterday in Towanda.

Athens people want the street sprinkler operated on Sunday. Must be very dry in that place.

D. T. Evans and son Walter D. Evans, have both recovered sufficiently to be able to ride out.

Miss K. T. Rowland has returned to her home at Paterson, N. J., after a visit with Mrs. Edson Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heverly of Overton, are the guests at the home of their son, Editor C. F. Heverly.

The Tidd house resplendent in new paint now has has one of the handsomest fronts in the City of Promise.

Jewitt C. Fowler of Watsontown, Pa., has been spending a few days in Towanda, visiting at the home of J. D. Johnson.

Judge Fanning will deliver the address at the commencement exercises of the Ulster High school on the evening of May 3.

Mrs. C. A. Shook of Troy, who has been very ill for several weeks, has been taken to Williamsport to submit to an operation.

A widow's pension of $12 per month has been granted Mrs. Susanna Crawford through the agency of C. T. Hull. —Athens News.

The Knights and Ladies of the Golden Rule, of the Universalist church, are preparing an entertainment to be given in the church parlors at an early date.

The Sayre tribe of Red Men are arranging to have representatives in the six mile race to be run in Towanda on Old Home day, Friday June 25.

On Monday evening, I. S. Beebe, who resides in LeRaysville, fell backwards down the stairs in his barn, sustaining injuries which have confined him to his home ever since.

Mrs. R. Bruce Pickett and son Edward have returned to their home in Laceyville after spending a few days in Towanda, the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. F. Thompson.

Refreshments will be served at the dance given by the T. H. S. Athletic association on Friday evening of this week. Tickets may be procured at W. F. Humphrey's store.

Twin sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. I. H. DeGolf of Altoona, Pa., on April 20. Mrs. DeGolf was Miss Blanch Manley of Canton, this county, before her marriage.

Mrs. Charles Baker, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Gustin of Ferry street, returned to her home in Towanda yesterday.—Athens correspondent Waverly Free Press.

Robert F. Hall of Burlington R. F. D. No. 66 was in Towanda Wednesday He will dispose of his stock, farming utensils, etc., at a public auction to be conducted on the place on Wednesday, May 5.

Charles L. Felton has a copy of the invitation to the second annual dance and banquet of the Lin-ta hose company, held on Thursday evening, Jan. 10, 1861, at the Ward house. The card is well preserved.

Norman White of Wysox, with a party of men tied up with a raft of props in the eddy just above the borough on Tuesday night, resuming the trip down the river early Wednesday morning.—Meshoppen Enterprise.

Levi Stalford, the Wyalusing young man who has been under treatment at the Packer hospital for a long time, has been removed to his home at Wyalusing. He is much improved, and the doctors believe he will fully recover.

PROF. M. G. BENEDICT OUSTED FROM UTICA SCHOOLS

Former Principal of the Towanda Schools Involved in Big Rumpus.

The following from a recent issue of the New York Sun is of interest to the readers of this paper, as Prof. Benedict, whom the article concerns was principal of the Towanda schools at one time:

"After eighteen months of wrangling between the Board of School Commissioners and Martin G. Benedict, superintendent of schools of Utica, Dr. Benedict has been removed from his position, effective at the close of the present school term, June 26. As a result of the adoption by the school board of the resolution terminating its contract with Superintendent Benedict accusations and counter-accusations are the order of the day, with the result that interesting developments in the situation are predicted.

Superintendent Benedict's dismissal has aligned the teachers, pupils and local public generally into two classes. One faction is convinced that the action of the school board should be commended, and the supporters of Dr. Benedict loudly denounced his dismissal, which they allege is the direct result of political intrigue. No charges of any nature were presented against Dr. Benedict. The resolution dismissing him was adopted at an executive session of the school board and without permitting the superintendent to defend himself against the veiled accusation that his alleged disputes with the board were harmful to discipline in the school.

"This failure to give Dr. Benedict a chance to present his side of the case is what has stirred up a great part of the rumpus. The principal bone of contention was in regard to the local training school for teachers. Dr. Benedict insisting that it was an unnecessary expense so long as the State maintained Normal schools and the school board holding to the opposite. It is stated on authority, however, that Dr. Benedict's removal was brought to a head by his application to Newburg for a position, when he was quoted as saying that the politicians of Utica were trying to get his scalp. This remark was reported back to Utica, with the result that the decapitation long premeditated was hastened."

Civil Service Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Barclay May 22, for the purpose of securing a register of eligibles from which to make appointment to the position of fourth class postmaster at Long Valley, this county. An examination was appointed by the commission to be held at Barclay March 27, but no applicants appeared. Unless there are applicants for the examination to be held May 22, the commission may be compelled to request the Post Office Department to discontinue the Long Valley post office. As this would be a great inconvenience to some who, in that event, would be obliged to go a long distance for their mail, it is hoped there may be no lack of applicants for the examination to be held next month. Applications for examination should be filed with Ralph W. Kelly, Secretary of the board of examiners, Towanda, Pa. Mr. Kelly will visit Long Valley on Tuesday, April 27, at which time he hopes to meet applicants for the examination to whom he will give full information relative thereto.

Truancy Lands a Father in Jail.

Friday William Kelly, Coudersport's well-known baker, was arrested by the truant officer for failing to keep his son, Leo, a boy of fourteen years in school. He was taken before Justice Olmsted and plead guilty. He was fined two dollars and costs which he refused to pay, believing that injustice was being done. Rather than give in he went to the county boarding house for two days serving the fine imposed. The school authorities have instructed the truant officer to arrest any and every parent who does not keep his or her children in school no matter who. No partiality will be shown. The law must be obeyed.—Potter Enterprise.

Elmira District Epworth League.

The annual convention of the Elmira District Epworth League will be held in the First Methodist Episcopal church at Elmira on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 4 and 5. The following people from this section will take part in the exercises: Rev. W. P. Miller, North Towanda; Miss Myra Spencer of Burlington; Rev. W. A. Stackhouse of Leona; Mrs. P. J. Williams of Canton; Rev. E. M. Mills, D. D., of Towanda; Rev. M. D. Foster of Daggett; Rev. H. B. Allen of Troy; Rev. E. J. Yerden, of Forksville; and Rev. A. W. Fenton of Mansfield.

Free Ice.

The poor and sick of Williamsport will receive free ice this summer, due to the generosity of the Hon J. Henry Cochran, who contributes $1,587.60. This sum represents the salary for one year of a Senator in the Pennsylvania Legislature. Mr. Cochran has decided to give this money to the poor and sick of Williamsport.

Youthful Culprit.

Robert Jones, aged six years, who on Friday stole ex-sheriff Harvey's horse and buggy on the streets of Hazleton, was found with the outfit that same evening near Lattimer He was taken home and the horse and buggy tourned over to Mr. Harvey. This was the second time within a week that the lad figured in an affair of this kind.

At a public sale in West Chester, driving and work horses sold at $160 to $240 each.

CHANGE LOOKED FOR ON THE BERNICE BRANCH.

Rumored That W. & N. B. Will Not Run Trains to Towanda After May 1.

A rumor is current that a decided change is to be made in the passenger service on a portion of the Bowman's Creek branch of the Lehigh Valley railroad.

It has been stated that on or about May 1 the Williamsport & North Branch train, now running over the Lehigh tracks from Towanda to Bernice and return, will be discontinued as far as that part of the trip is concerned. This it is said will be done because of a recent disagreement between the two roads. It is said that the connecting link on the Susquehanna & New York road with Williamsport, is the seat of the expected change.

When the S. & N. Y. began running regular trains to Williamsport the traffic on the W. & N. B. was greatly reduced and this the W. & N. B. people did not like, so it is alleged.

If the change is made it will necessitate the Lehigh putting on a train to take the place of the North Branch train between Ricketts and Towanda, making connections at Bernice or Satterfield with the North Branch.

D. A. R. Meeting.

The regular April meeting of George Clymer Chapter, D. A. R., was pleasantly entetained by Mrs. Simon Rendall and Mrs. D. L. Pratt at the home of the latter Friday afternoon. The program for study for the year 1908-09 was finished. An important part of the business order was the reading of the report of the treasurer of the substantial addition to the finances of the chapter resulting from the play given under the auspices of the chapter, and ably carried out by the committee appointed for that work. A rising vote of thanks was given the committee, and each and every one who so kindly and willingly gave their assistance toward making the play the marked success it was, both financially and and as a social event.

This Hen is Setting Some.

S. W. Barr, of Roulette, has a hen which is giving attention to the third consecutive setting of eggs, and if she does not desert the nest, will have made a record for hen industry. The first time, ten chickens were raised from thirteen eggs, the second time nine little ones were hatched, which was on April 8. The hen was immediately provided with another setting of eighteen eggs, and she is giving them the best of attention. As soon as the chickens were hatched they were taken from her, and she evidently believes she should continue to set until she has a family to follow her and look after.—Potter Democrat.

Back to the Mines.

Harvey Davenport, for the past year employed by H. D. Shores of Wysox township, returned to Hazleton Sunday where he will resume his position as assistant fire boss in the Pardee mines. Mr. Davenport is an expert miner and well qualified for the position which he will fill, having worked in that capacity for a long time under Calvin Pardee, owner of the mines. His work is to help in keeping the mines free from the dangerous gases.

Agreed to Agree.

Desertion and surety of the peace cases were heard by Judge Fanning Friday, with District Attorney Mitchell representing the commonwealth. Two couples, one from Sayre and the other from Athens, were scheduled for hearings in desertion proceedings, the old love returned in both instances and instead of alimony, the giving of bonds, etc., they agreed to agree and went their way rejoicing.

Sayre Pastor Honored.

Rev. E. C. Petrie returned Wednesday evening from Kingston where he attended the meeting of Lackawanna Presbytery which has been in session in the Kingston church since Monday. The Sayre church was commended for its activity during the past year and in appreciation the Presbytery elected Mr. Petrie a commissioner to the General Assembly which meets in Denver on May 20th.—Sayre Times-Record.

Badly Injured.

Thomas Holmes, recently employed on a farm at Wysox, is in a serious condition at the Kinney House. On Thursday evening he fell from a porch on South Main street, seriously injuring his spine. He was taken to the Kinney House, where he is being cared for. He is paralyzed from the hips down as a result of the fall.

School Examinations.

Examinations for the admission of eighth grade pupils to the high schools will be held in all high schools in Bradford county on Friday and Saturday of this week. The first teachers' examinations will be held in Towanda on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Ulster Business Change.

R. C. King has succeeded Sherman & VanDuzer in the coal and builder's supplies business at Ulster, and took possession Monday. Sherman & VanDuzer conducted this business for years, enjoying a fine patronage, and their successor will undoubtedly do the same.

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BRADFORD COUNTY EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Spring Meeting Will Be Held at Ulster on May 14 and 15.

The Spring meeting of the Bradford county Educational association will be held at Ulster on Friday and Saturday, May 14 and 15. Theme: Agriculture and Domestic Science in Public Schools.

Program.

Friday, 8 p. m.

Music.
Invocation.....Rev. C. L. V. Haines
Music.
Recitation .....Jennie Lawlor
Address—"Domestic Science in the School" .....Jessie C. Morse
Music.
Recitation.....Amy Benson
Address—"Agriculture," illustrated.
Music.

Saturday, 9:30 a. m.

Music.
Devotional Exercises.....
.....Rev. W. H. Sawtelle
"How Plants Grow".....G. W. Peffer
"Chemistry of Soils".....L. J. Russell
"Grafting and Budding..J. David Elsb
"Grafting and Budding".....
.....J. David Elsbree
Questions and Discussions.
Business Meeting.

Afternoon Session, 1:30 p. m.

Music.
"Home and School Gardening.....
.....Prin. George E. Rogers.
"How Agriculture can be put into the School Program"...J. H. Humphries
General Discussion—
(a) "Home Economics" .....
.....Mrs. Ida Disbrow, Mrs. C. R. Stiles, Mrs. Ida Litzelman
(b) "Agriculture in Schools"....
.....R. B. Allen, E. J. Wolcott, L. E. Delaney, W. T. Clarke, J. A. Morrow, J. A. Bowles
(c) "Practical Zoology for the Farm".....Everett Morley

Athletic Meet at State.

An inter-scholastic meet and dedication of the New Beaver Field of the Pennsylvania State College Friday afternoon, May 7th. The programme will be as follows: 1 p. m., procession and dedication exercises; 1:30 p. m., events of the Inter-Scholastic Meet; 4:30 p. m., grand circus parade; 8 p. m., country circus performance by students of physical education. For this meet the Alumni Association of New York City has donated specially designed gold, silver and bronze medals as first second and third prizes for each event. These 39 medals are appropriately marked to show the occasion, the event and the winner.

Local Option Campaign.

It was announced that a state local option conference will be held in Harrisburg May 14 next. The league board of trustees will meet in executive session during the forenoon and an open conference of the friends of local option throughout the state will be held in the afternoon. A public mass meeting in the evening is to be addressed by general superintendent of the league, the Rev P. A. Baker, and Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, of Portland, Me.

Dr. Adelbert D. Dye Honored.

Dr. Adelbert D. Dye of Williamsport was selected by representatives of the Prohibition party from different sections of the county in conference at Prohibition hall Wednesday afternoon, to be ballotted on at the next primaries of the party for their candidate for coroner. Dr. C. W. Huntington presided over the conference—Williamsport Daily News. Dr. Dye is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dye, one of Towanda's best known and most prominent families.

White Robins Attract Many

Mrs. William Townsend of Norwich, N. Y., in writing to her parents, 'Squire John Meredith and wife of Towanda, states that in a tree on the lawn in front of the home which Mr. Townsend has purchased at Norwich, a pair of white robins have made their nest, and are attracting much attention. The newspapers at Norwich and in neighboring cities, have had articles concerning the robins, with the result that hundreds of people have visited the Townsend home to get a glimpse at the strange birds.

Ed. Stevens Sells Meat Market.

Ed. Stevens, who for many years, has conducted a meat market in the First ward, and for a long time being located in the Bailey block, has disposed of the business to Charles D. Lockwood of Dushore, who has already taken possession. Mr. Stevens will enjoy a much needed rest. Mr. Lockwood is an experienced marketman, and will undoubtedly enjoy the same liberal patronage accorded Mr. Stevens.

Results of Odd Fellow Election.

Returns of the election for officers of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the State of Pennsylvania were completed late Wednesday night at Odd Fellows Temple. The following were elected: James S. Montgomery, grand master; Elmer E. Cranmer, deputy grand master; W. Oscar Miller, grand warden; Joseph H. Mackey, grand secretary; Col. M. Richard Muckle, grand treasurer; Georg Hawkes, grand representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

New Assistant.

Ray Donlin, a well known Lehigh Valley engineer, has been appointed assistant road foreman of engines. He succeeds Joseph H. Bush, who has been promoted to be air brake inspector of the Lehigh, in charge of the air brake car. Mr. Donlin assumed the duties of his new office Thursday.

Review small ads pay.

CRIMINAL COURT JURORS.

Bradford Countians Who Will Decide Fates of Men Next Week.

The following citizens of Bradford county have been summoned to serve as jurors next week, during criminal court:

Ayers, Clarence M., Troy township; Andrew, Forest E., Canton borough; Bowman, Wesley, Sayre borough; Brown, Herbert W., Smithfield township; Bailey, Frencis J., LeRaysville borough; Bowen, Walter A., Warren township; Brown, Joseph, Monroe township; Campbell, James P., Athens township; Clancy, Martin, North Towanda township; Collins, William H., Canton borough; Davies, Philip, Pike township; Dailey, John, Athens township; Flemming, Frank E., Canton township; Glaser, Simon, Sayre borough; Gillis, John H., Sayre borough; Griffin, John, Athens township; Havens, Leo, Ulster township; Johnson, Edward L., Franklin township; Kingsley, William H., Standing Stone township; Kingsley, Gilbert I., Smithfield township; Kiff, Frank A., Alba borough; Kerrick, Fred D., Asylum township; Landon, H. Eugene, Canton Township; Lyons, George M, Wyalusing township; McCarthy, Daniel, LeRoy township; Mott Thomas, LeRoy Township; Maynard, Lemuel W., Rome borough; Miller, Ernest C, Towanda borough; McDaniels, Eugene, Athens borough; McNabara, Michael, Warren township; McEneaney, Peter, Terry township; O'Hern, William Sayre borough; Potter, Ezra C., Athens borough; Patterson, Samuel, Sout, Creek township; Rhodes, William F., Albany township; Spencer, Horace, West Burlington township; Scott, Horace M., Armenia township; Sick, William, Overton township; Shaw, Henry F, Tuscarora township; Smith, C. Adelbert Troy borough; Seigle, Henry, Towanda borough; Stevens, Lincoln D., Pike township; Terry, Burley R., Terry township; Vanness, David, Standing Stone township; Warburton, George W. T., LeRoy township; Westbrook, Jacob G., Athens township; White, Frank., Litchfield township ;Wilcox, James E., Monroe borough.

MINER INJURED.

Frank Cox Seriously Hurt in the Murray Mine Last Saturday.

Shortly after 9 o'clock Saturday morning while at his work in the Murray mine in Sullivan county, Frank Cox was seriously injured by a fall of coal. His rib bones on the left side were broken from the breast bone and the lung was pierced by the sharp points of the broken bones. Besides, his collar bone was broken, back injured and he was otherwise bruised. The vein of coal in the Murray mines runs from four to six feet, and has a band of from four to eight inches of slate near the center of the vein. In mining the coal the lower coal is taken out first then the slate and upper coal is blasted and easily mined. Mr. Cox was after the lower coal and was lying on his right side mining when the slate and some of the upper coal fell suddenly catching Mr. Cox and crushing the ribs of his left side and breaking the collar bone of the left shoulder.

Mr. Cox lives on a fine farm near Dushore and had been mining and farming, being comfortably situated in life had intended to quite mining and devote his entire attention to farming and Saturday was to have been his last day in the mines.

Cause of Explosion.

The cause of the explosion which wrecked the Trexler & Turrell saw mill at Ricketts on Monday morning of this week, has not yet been ascertained. This is what the Dushore Herald says about the John Barnhart, who lost his life as a result of the explosion:" Mr. Barnhart had purchased farm in Susquehanna county, Pa., and had moved his family on the farm. He had come back to work at the mill and was staying at the boarding house when the accident occurred. Mr. Barnhart was 67 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. The fireman who was a brother of Mr. Barnhart, was below the boilers cleaning out the ashes and was not injured. A horse and a dog were in the vicinity of the explosion were instantly killed.

After the Saloonmen.

Another crusade against violators of the Brooks high license laws in Scranton has been started and petitions have been filed for the revocation of licenses of two saloonkeepers and attorney L. P. Wedeman, representing the organization, which is back of the movement, says that evidence of violations has already been obtained against twenty places and applications will be made for the revocation of the license of each of these places.

Rapid Strides.

Since going to Oklahoma, less than three months ago, Lee A. Voorhees, formerly cashier of the Grange Nationad bank at Troy has made rapid advancement in the banking business. He first secured a position as cashier of a bank in Muskogee, Okla., which position he held until a few days ago, when he became a member of a banking company in Okmulgee, Okla., of which he is vice-president, and will be cashier.

Vagaries of a Cold.

You can never be quite sure where a cold is going to hit you. In the fall and winter it may settle in the bowels, producing severe pain. In the summer it may give you colic with diarrhoea or summer complaint. Do not be alarmed nor torment yourself with fears of appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first sign of the pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm, sweetened water and relief will come at once. The dose is but one Perry Davis'. It is put up in large 35c size as well as the regular size.

Review small ads pay.

Ulster Defeats Monroeton.

In one of the most brilliant games ever seen in Ulster, the Ulster high school team defeated the Monroeton high school team Saturday by the score of 3 to 1. The game was very fast only lasting one hour and ten minutes and was in doubt until the last man was out in the ninth. Farrell was on the firing line for Ulster and pitched a magnificient game, striking out 18 men and allowing but 4 hits, besides making a three bagger. Northrop twirled for Monroeton and he also pitched a grand game, striking out 8 and allowing but 3 hits. The teams were evenly matched, but Ulster's hits came at the right time. These teams will play in Monroeton on May 8th

Score:

Ulster	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	x	—3
Monroeton	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Hits Ulster 3, Monroeton 4; Struck out by Farrell 18; Northrop 8; Two base hits, Morrow, Benedict; Three base hits, Farrell. Umpire Floyd Childs.

Retires From Examining Board.

The most important matters to come before the delegates to the Lackawanna Presbytery being held at Kingston, on Tuesday, was the severance of the pastoral relations of Rev. John MacInnis, pastor of the Montrose Presbyterian church, and those of Rev. Henry Cardew, pastor of the Newton church. The action was taken in both cases at the request of the ministers themselves and was endorsed by the congregations with reluctance. Rev. John S. Stewart D. D., of Towanda, requested that he be relieved from membership on the theology examining board, and the request was acceded to.

Wedding Invitations Issued.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jewell to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Frances Leona Jewell to Charles R. LaBarre, which will be solemnized at their home in Rome Wednesday evening, May 12.

Subpoenas in Divorce.

Subpoenas in divorce were awarded yesterday in the cases of Hannah J. Martin vs. Charles Martin; H. S. Park vs Winifred Park.

ALLEMAN IS ALIVE.

Supposed Victim of Brutal Murder Writes That It Was a Mistake.

George Alleman, the former Lehigh engineer, who was recently reported being killed near Cakeville, Wyoming, is alive and well, a letter to that effect having been received from Mr. Alleman by a Sayre friend Thursday. He gives no particulars, simply saying that it was the other man who was murdered.

It was reported that Alleman was the victim of a brutal murder in the warfare existing between the catlemen and sheep herders over the grazing lands in the vicinity of Cakeville.—Sayre correspondent Athens News.

New Lehigh Schedule.

Lehigh Valley officials are now working out the details in connection with their new time table, which goes into effect June 1. Nearly all the changes have been decided upon with the exception of whether the Black Diamond Express shall go over the Ithaca branch to Buffalo out of Sayre. This matter has been left open, while the officials determining how much time this train would loose on the heavy grade over this branch. It is stated that in the event that the Black Diamond is not run over the Ithaca branch that a connection will be made at Sayre to take care of the New York travel and passengers from other eastern points enroute to Ithaca. On the new time table a Sunday train will reach in Elmira shortly before noon.

Viewers Appointed.

John A. Biles, A. H. Kingsbury and Frank I. Champlin have been appointed viewers to inspect the site of the bridge across Cold Creek in Herrick township, and make report to the court. Benjamin Kuykendall, Jr., represents the petitioners for this bridge.

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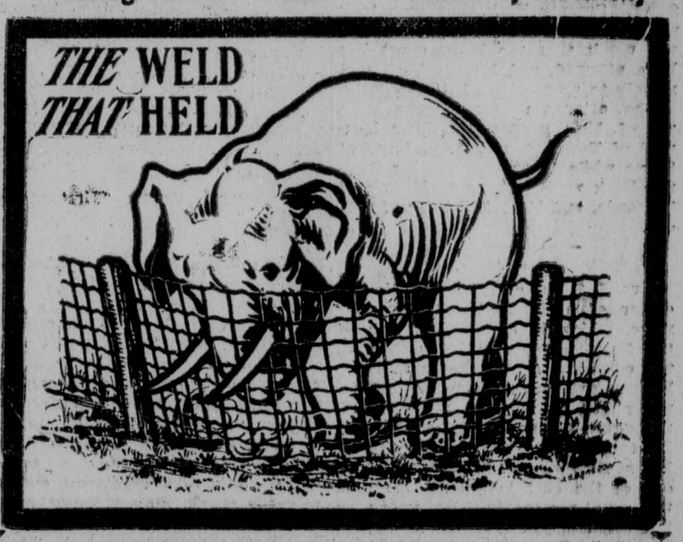

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JUDGE FANNING AFFIRMED IN PARK VS. PARK CASE.

Superior Court at Pitsburg Upholds Bradford County Court.

The Superior court sitting at Pittsburg, this month, affirmed Judge Fanning of the Bradford county courts in the celebrated Park vs. Park case, a litigation from Litchfield township in which two brothers were involved over a piece of land.

The principals in the case were Mercur Park and Sumner Park sons of the late Benjamin Park, one of Litchfield's best known and wealthiest residents. There were four children in the family, and to three of them, two sons and a daughter, the father gave each a nice farm. Mercur Park, the youngest son, cared not for farming and sought an education for a business life. Finishing his studies in the Litchfield township school he went to Elmira and took a business course in a college at that place. After his graduation he returned home, and was preparing to go to New York where he had been offered a good position. His father told him if he would stay at home he would give him all the remaining property he had in Litchfield township.

This was about 18 years ago, and Mercur, like a dutiful son, acceded to his father's request, and took up his residence on the farm with his parents. The father's gift consisted of the homestead farm, and a wood lot some distance away, and not adjoining the home farm.

Mercur gave his entire time to farming, and made many valuable improvements on the place, taking a great pride in the property. He cut some of the wood from the timber tract which had been included in the gift, but made no improvements on that part of the property. A few years later, the father deeded to Sumner Park the woodlot, which a few years before he had given to his youngest son, Mercur Park. The father was reminded of his verbal gift of the wood lot to Mercur, and to make his gift secure gave Mercur a deed for the woodlot. This complicated the case as Mercur and Sumner both had deeds for the timber tract.

Sumner by virtue of his deed to the timber land, entered thereon and commenced cutting wood. Mercur employed attorneys and an injunction was issued by the court to restrain Sumner from cutting timber on the lot. An amicable action in ejectment was then brought in court and about a year ago the case was tried before Judge Fanning.

Among the claims set up by the attorneys for Sumner Park was that the timber lot not being contiguous to the farm and no improvements having been made on the lot by Mercur Park it could not be held by a parole gift. Various other intricate questions were involved, several of which have never before been decided by the courts. The case was hotly contested, and the jury returned a verdict in favor of Mercur Park, giving him the woodlot.

The attorneys for Sumner Park asked for a new trial and were refused. Sumner Park thereupon took the case to the Superior court, with the result that the lower court has been affirmed, and Mercur Park will remain in possession of the property.

The attorneys for Mercur Park were I. McPherson and William Maxwell of Towanda, and A. L. Laws of Sayre while those representing Sumner Park were Rodney A. Mercur of Towanda, and Hoyt & Schrier of Athens.

Fine Horse.

Mrs. S. S. Taite of Towanda, is the owner of a thoroughbred Kentucky mare, which is undoubtedly one of the finest animals in his section of the country. A lady living at Binghamton purchased the horse in Kentucky two years ago, paying $500. Some time ago she started for Europe, leaving the horse with her brother-in-law at Binghamton. D. C. DeWitt, Esq. one of the best judges of horses in the county, went to Binghamton on Tuesday and purchased the animal for Mrs. Taite Wednesday Frank D. Montanye went to Apalachin, N. Y., on the early train, took possession of the horse and rode to Towanda. Mr. Montanye is an expert horseman, and in spite of the fact that he did not leave Apalachin until 9 o'clock, he reached Towanda at 2:55, having made the distance of 35 miles in fine shape, the horse and rider both finishing in excellent condition. The horse is broken to saddle or carriage, and is considered one of the handsomest, as well as one of the best horses ever brought to Towanda.

Waverly Boy Clever Actor.

William McCarthy, a popular Waverly young man has "made good" in light comedy. He has been a member of the theatrical profession for the last five years, starting out with the Chester DeVone Stock company. For the last two seasons he has been with the Helen Grayce company, and next year will be connected with "The House of a Thousand Candles" company, under the management of Nathan Appel. Last summer he was with the Majestic Stock company in Utica, and will go to that city May 10th to join the same company.

Troy Creamery's Big Contract.

The Troy Creamery Company has closed a contract with the government for 250,000 pounds of butter to be delivered between May 15 and August 15. This speaks well for the quality of their butter and the high standard maintained by this creamery. Robert Hanna, their former buttermaker, has been transferred to the Rutland creamery, and H. D. Wendt, of Welcome, Minn., was the only one of the twenty-five applicants who was recommended by the government to fill the place.

The marriage took place in the man's cell.

At a recent meeting of the teachers of Lock Haven resolutions were adopted by a unanimous vote declaring that participation by pupils in home talent plays are injurious to the physical health of the children and retard their progress in their studies. A protest was entered against the vicious practice.

Harrison Casner of Walker township, Juniata county, is in a critical condition from a kick in the abdomen, inflicted by one of his horses. The animal was down in the stall suffering from spasmodic colic. Mr. Casner was trying to give it some relief when a spasm caused it to kick with both hind feet, striking its owner in the abdomen and rendering him unconscious. The animal then sprang to its feet, walked out of the stable and fell dead.

Plans are being made in Reading for the organization of an association of 350 past presidents of the Patriotic Order Sons of America camps in that city.

Charles C. Marshall, 46 years old, a resident of West Middlesex, Mercer county, died Thursday afternoon as the result of slipping on a banana peeling.

Charles W. Hersh, of Allentown, committed suicide on Thursday morning by shooting himself in the head. He took his life because he was a hopeless cripple.

On account of numerous murders in Schuylkill county, the judges have announced that they will not allow any case of carrying concealed deadly weapons to be settled.

The dedication of the monument to the regulars on the field of Gettysburg will take place Monday afternoon, May 30. This change has been made by direction of President Taft.

An unpleasant and uncommon scene occurred at Treveton on Thursday, when members of the Lutheran congregation, assisting a constable from Shamokin, evicted the Rev. W. H. Heyer, former pastor, his wife and his sister from the parsonage.

NAIAD ANNIVERSARY.

Popular and Efficient Company Was Fifty-Five Years Old Saturday.

Saturday, April 24, was the 55th anniversary of the organization of Naiad Hose company, one of Towanda's popular and efficient fire fighting organizations. The company was first organized on April 24, 1854, and was incorporated on July 6, 1861. During all these years it has been an organization of which any city in the country could be justly proud.

The rooms of the company have been renovated throughout, and refurnished in elegant style. On the evening of May 6, the annual election of officers will be held, to be followed by the annual banquet and formal opening of the company's refurnished rooms.

On Friday evening, December 2, 187 at a benefit given for Fanny Garbatti in Mercur hall, the following original verse is taken from the address delivered by Miss Alice Placid on that occasion:

See where the Naiads go rolling on,
Quick as the lightning they are seen and gone,
On to the scene where the danger calls,
On to the blazing and smouldering walls,
Stand firm, boys, Towanda doth your machine admire,
For your motto is: "First at the Fire."

Two More Fat Men Entered.

Two more heavy weights have gone into training for the fat men's race to be held in Towanda during old home days. The latest gladiators to go the training table are James Bennett and Joseph Kirwan, the veteran hackman. Mr. Kirwan is so sincere in his attempt to get in condition that he no longer rides, but runs ahead of his team going back and forth to the upper station. Mr. Bennett expects to get in shape by every morning running up Plank Road around Towanda hill, through Monroeton and winding up at his wholesale liquor store on South Main street.

Back to the Old Love.

Charles Spencer of Buffalo, a Lehigh Valley passenger train brakeman was arrested on Thursday in Wilkes-Barre and taken from his train. He was served with papers charging him with the alienation of the affections of Mrs. George W. Price of Scranton. Spencer was taken to Scranton before alderman Millar, where C. S. Knapp of Tunkhannock became his bondsman in the sum of $1,000 bail for his appearance for trial. Price alleges that Mrs. Price was a former sweetheart of Spencer and has recently gone to live with him.

Change of Ownership.

John Kilcoyne of South Wilkes-Barre, has made arrangements to purchase all of the property of the Lake Carey Land Improvement company, and also of the Lake Carey Steamship and Transportation company. This includes the steamboat, row boats and all of the various buildings on the picnic grounds at that resort, together with a five year lease of the gounds. He will add a number of new attractions and make improvements and will open the resort on May 30.

Cheap Sugar.

The Hazelton police are on the hunt for one H. E. Happney, who went about from house to house in that city selling sugar at three cents per pound and collecting for the same in advance. He represented himself as being in the employ of W. H. Whitaker & Co., wholesale grocers of Pittsburg.

Reporter-Journal—$1 a year.

HERE AND HEREABOUTS.

Brief News Notes for the Hasty Morning Readers.

Mrs. James Kellogg is visiting in Monroeton.

Fred Powers of Sayre, spent Saturday and Sunday in Towanda.

Thomas Stoneman of Asylum, had business in Towanda Saturday.

Born, April 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Watson, a ten pound son.

John Shores of New York, has been spending a couple of days in Towanda.

Miss Ethel Kililea of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting her mother in Towanda.

Mrs. Hattie Molyneux of Dushore, was shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

Born, April 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook of South Main street, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly of Asylum, were shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

State Tree Inspector Knuppenburg is inspecting fruit trees in Athens and Sayre this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Arnold of Granville Centre, were shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

Floyd Smith has returned from a visit with his mother, Mrs. George Place at Wyalusing.

Dr. Joseph Head and wife of Wells, N. Y., are in Towanda, called here by the death of Mrs. Arthur Head.

A. T. Lilley of LeRoy, was in Towanda Saturday to attend the meeting of the Historical society.

Mrs. J. M. Allen and daughter, Miss Fidelia Allen, of New Albany, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

Mrs. William Lee of Wyalusing, spent Saturday as the guest of Mrs. Henry Green at East Towanda.

The Ladies Aid of Saco will have a warm sugar social at the Grange hall on Thursday evening, April 29.

Hon. Charles Terry, judge of Wyoming county courts, was in Towanda Monday, a guest at the Ward house.

Miss Florence Roe has returned to her home in Athens, after a visit in Towanda, the guest of Miss Josephine Costello.

Charles Woodin of the "David Garrick" theatrical company, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Woodin.

A marriage license was issued on Saturday to Sedwick M. Hottenstein of Monroeton, and Hattie F. Molyneux of Dushore.

Criminal court commences next week. William Hannis will be tried for causing the death of James B. Bush at Sayre.

Mrs. Hattie D. Smith has returned to her home in Towanda from Sayre, where she was under treatment at the Packer hospital.

J. W. Stone and Lee Brooks, prominent Canton attorneys, are in Towanda this week being interested in the Innis-McFadden case.

Mrs. Allen Berne Allen and children who have been traveling in the West, arrived in Towanda last week and will spend the Summer here.

Photographs have been made of the Bradford hotel in Sayre to be used in the trial of William Hannis for causing the death of James B. Bush.

"Merely Mary Ann," with nineteen people and Betty Bancroft in the leadrole, will be the attraction at the Keystone opera house next Monday evening.

George Saddler, the New Albany boy who was kicked in the head by a horse about ten days ago, was discharged from the Packer hospital on Saturday.

A. L. Vaughn, one of the S. & N. Y., passenger conductors, has been ill for several days. He was in Towanda Monday enroute from Binghamton to his home at Ralston.

Rev. H. B. Allen of Troy, formerly pastor of the North Towanda M. E. church, has been spending a couple of days at North Towanda, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ayers.

Mrs. Harry L. Green and Miss Charlotte Lewis were among the 150 guests entertained at a banquet given by the Sayre Chapter, Order Eastern Star at Sayre on Friday evening.

Thomas Hakes of New Albany, submitted to the amputation of his left arm at the shoulder Monday morning at the Packer hospital. He is afflicted with tuberculosis of the bones.

Frank M. Barker, of Rochester has been appointed general yardmaster for the Lehigh in Sayre, succeeding E. E. Jordan who was promoted a short time ago to trainmaster at Packerton.

Swartwood and Schutt, the well known vaudeville team of Waverly have signed a contract for a ten weeks' engagement on the Gilmore circuit and will open in Watertown, N. Y., May 3.

At Scranton this year there will be no essays and orations by members of the graduating class of the high school, and the salutarorian and valedictorian will simply say "welcome" and "goodbye" at the end of brief remarks.

The Misses Arnout have returned to their home after spending the winter away. Miss Cora with her aunt, Mrs. Webster, at Huntersville, Lycoming county, and Miss Jennie with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Arnout, at Philadelphia.

The Monroeton grammer school baseball team defeated the Third ward Juniors on Saturday by the score of 9-5. The batteries were Sluff, Kisner, and Kingsley for the Third warders, and Harris and Crofut for Monroeton.

Mrs. J. W. McCracken of LeRaysville, who has been an invalid for nearly six months, is spending some time in Towanda at the home of her neice, Mrs. Floyd Smith on Second street, and is being treated by Dr. C. Manville Pratt.

MORE BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR STUART.

Several Important Measures Become Laws of the State.

Governor Stuart Friday evening signed thirty-nine bills, including a number of what are known as department bills. There are 477 bills remaining in his hands, all of which are to be acted upon before May 16.

Among the bills signed was one to provide that the State Board of Public Buildings and Grounds shall pay for the bonds of all state officials who are required to give bonds. Under the existing laws 20 state officials have to give bonds aggregating $800,000, the charges being borne by them personally. Among some of the other bills signed were:

Abolishing the Legislative Record, and the separate journals of the Senate and House and providing in their stead a Legislative Journal, to be printed daily on the lines of the Congressional Record of the legislature, the printing to be done by the Department of Public Printing and Binding under the general state printing contract.

Providing that receivers nemed at the instance of the attorney general shall have precedence over others named by courts.

Quieting title of real estate formerly held by corporations not entitled to do business in this state.

Punishing by fine of $25, defacing or removing road sign boards.

Punishing by a fine not exceeding $5,000 or five years in prison, malicious circulation of reports about a banking house.

Fixing a new scale of fees for all magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in all proceedings authorized to be brought before them and for all official acts.

Forfeiting charters of banks or trust companies which fail to start business in two years.

Punishing by fine of $50 to $100 sale of fertilizer falsely advertised to contain bone residue.

Extending tax collectors' liability for two years.

Requiring supervisors to maintain foot bridges.

Allowing mileage to assessors for for traveling to or from county seats and attending commissioners elsewhere than at county seats.

Providing that opinions on religious matters shall not be a bar to testimony in court, a bill which permits agnostics to testify.

Regulating disbursements of contingent funds of State Departments.

Providing that state police shall be allowed to place prisoners in jails and lock-ups for 24 hours.

Requiring petitions for roads to be exactly located and to be certified to State Highway Department.

Fixing fees of constables at $2.50 for attending court, and 15 cents for election notices.

Authorizing burial of indigent veterans of Spanish war.

Empowering borough councils to fiix salaries for burgesses.

Permitting independent school districts to share in distribution of money for high schools.

Making possession or receiving of stolen goods a felony.

Authorizing supervisors of townships to levy an electric light tax on petition of property owners.

Making it a misdemeanor to misapply funds of any banking institution.

The other bills signed are local in character, applying to separate counties or else technical legal bills.

Governor Stuart refused to discuss the possibility of an extra session of the legislature being called for the purpose of passing bills to raise revenue to meet appropriations. The bills passed exceed the revenue for the next two years by over $15,000,000.

Lehigh Valley Mileages.

One thousand mile tickets of Lehigh Valley issue are good for passage over the entire system of the Lehigh Valley railroad in the hands of the bearer, limited for use within one year from date of issuance, and are sold at the rate of $20.00. These 1,000-mile tickets will also be accepted for passage over any portion of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, Susquehanna & New York Railroad, and Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Two More Electric Motors

The Connell Coal company has just put in two more electric motor engines in the Bernice coal mines. The company has 11 electric engines now in all, ten of which are used to run mining machines and one used in emergencies. When the mines are running, more than a mining car of coal goes through the breaker per minute.

Fell to His Death.

Slipping on a wet steel girder, William F. Kiesel of Scranton, fell Tuesday from the fourth story of the new Lackawanna car shops in process of erection in that city and broke his neck, killing him instantly. He is survived by his wife and one child.

Verdict for County.

In the case of Dr. George H. Tibbins vs. Wyoming county, trespass, the jury brought in a verdict in favor of the county on Wednesday morning at Tunkhannock. This was the case in which the plaintiff sought to recover damages for the loss of a horse, which he claimed broke its leg while crossing a bridge at Noxen.

Long and Short of Married Life.

An unique nuptial event took place in the Pottstown opera house Saturday night, when Oscar Krause, the Kansas giant, seven feet six inches in his stockings, was married to Miss Annie Bradford of Spring City, who is four feet ten. Krause is well known in the Northern part of Bradford county.

Reporter-Journal—$1—worth it.

SOCIAL NOTES

The Towanda Musical Society met with Miss Mary Payne at her home on Huston street yesterday afternoon. A very delightful program was given after which luncheon was served. The out of town guests were: Mrs. Bruster Long of Troy, Mrs. A. C. Jackson of Berwick, Mrs. Richard Payne of Athens, Mrs. Dunham of Sayre, and Mrs. Rolland Porter of New York.

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At the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Gustus Essenwine in Burlington, April 17, a company of young people were invited to help their son, Paul Fenton, celebrate his fifteenth birthday. The warm sunny afternoon added much to the enjoyment of the occasion the afternoon was spent in games and other amusement at prompt five o'clock supper was served. Besides a shower of post cards he was the recipient of other useful gifts. A guest.

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William McNeel of Fourth street, on April 22, was very much supprised to see so many gathering around his home when he suddenly remembered it was his 77th birthday. The party took possession and the table was loaded with good things to eat and all partook heartily of the good dinner and then all enjoyed a good visit. Those from out of town were Frank Gregg of Gregg Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith, of Ellenton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norton of Liberty Corners, and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wyckoff of Athens. The number present were 26. All went home well satisfied that they had a good time and left a number of useful presents for the host and hostess.

A GUEST.

FAMOUS ACROBAT DEAD.

Mrs. Charles Patterson of Canton, Dies Suddenly in Chicago.

Word was received at Canton on Wednesday of last week by Mrs. S. R. Rolison of the sudden death of Mrs. Charles Patterson, formerly of that place, but who was with Barnum & Bailey's circus in Chicago. Mrs. Patterson, whose show name is Madame Segrist, is an aerial acrobat and takes part with her husband in one of the principal aerial acts of that circus. Mrs. Patterson's mother left Canton last week for Chicago and was with her daughter at her death.

The Pattersons, otherwise known as "The Segrists," are famous acrobats and Mr. Segrist is one of the foremost in the world, being able to do the difficult feat of turning a double back somersault. Mrs. Patterson was about thirty years old and besides her husband and mother is survived by two children living at Canton.

Preplexing Proposition.

'Squire Meredith is puzzled. A few months ago he had two cases of wife stealing before him, and he sent them to court. He wanted the higher court to decide whether a man could take another man's wife, and not be punished. Both were clear cases according to the evidence given before the justice, but when they were presented to the grand jury, that body returned not true bills in both cases. Now then, the 'squire is at a loss just what to do in case some dashing fellow willingly and wilfully steals his neighbor's wife, whether to recommend him to the Carnegie hero fund commission, or send the case to the grand jury to be quashed. A preplexing proposition to be sure.

"Jake Northrup's Great Work.

"Jake" Northrup, the Monroeton boy, covered himself with several different kinds of baseball glory at Lewisburg on Saturday when he pitched for Bucknell university against the Carlisle Indians. The score was Bucknell 10, Carlisle 0, and the Almighty Jake was the boy who did it He let the Redskins down with but one scratch hit, struck out 14, and gave not a free pass to first base. To top it all off with Captain "Jake" in the ninth inning with three of his men on bases, he smashed out a home run, adding four scores to the string.

Tunkhannock Creamery Improved

The milk station at Tunkhannock, which is now in the hands of H. A. Rusch of Brooklyn, N. Y., is undergoing a complete transformation. About $1,000 worth of new machinery is being installed, including engine, a churn with a capacity of 400 pounds of butter, a butter worker, cream separator, a vat capable of making 2,400 quarts of pot cheese at one time, besides other improvements.

Parochial Residence.

The Roman Catholics of the Dushore parish have purchased the residence of Mrs. J. W. Carroll, and will use it as a parsonage. The property is advantagously located for the purpose for which it was bought. The present building in use will be removed which will add materially to the beauty of the handsome church edifice.—Dushore Herald.

Satisfactory Test.

A test conducted by L. D. May of Glenside Farm, at Granville, for his own enlightenment on one of his milking shorthorns, shows a record for 7 days of about 60 pounds of milk a day, equivalent to 18 pounds of butter.

Odd Fellow Anniversary.

Sunday was the 90th anniversary of the organization of the order of Odd Fellows in the United States, and Bradford Lodge with the Rebeckah's of Towanda atended divine services at Wysox, a special sermon appropriate to the occasion being preached by Rev. David Davies.

ORWELL.

Rev. L. L. Vought returned from Brooklyn Tuesday. Mrs. Vought remained with the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Frisbie and Mrs. Olive Arnold went to Cold Creek, Friday to attend the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Chaffee.

Mrs. Reeves Gorham went to New York Thursday, where her husband has a position in a milk store.

J. F. Jillson who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Platt are visiting their daughter Mrs. Fred Tyrell, at Owego.

Miss Daisy Catlin of North Orwell visited her friend, Miss Grace Morris, the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Frisbie and daughter Irene, visited at James Moore's at Warren Centre, Sunday. Miss Irene will spend a week with Mrs. Moore.

Miss Jessie Maynard of Towanda spent Sunday, with her sister Mrs. W. H. Lott.

Misses Bessie Knapp and Grace Morris spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at North Orwell.

BURLINGTON.

M. A. Bailey is quite ill.

Mrs. Minerva Weldy had the misfortune to break her arm last Friday.

Mrs. Douglass Brown of Binghamton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wright.

Mrs. Alice Putnam and son Will of Towanda and Mrs. M. D. Stiles of Athens visited their brother J. A. Morley and wife and uncle Job Morley who has been so much worse of late.

In the morning service last Sunday the pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. Youell baptised six and received them in the church.

George Weldy who is representing a firm in Odessa, N. Y. spent over Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Weldy.

Stuart Essenwine of Athens, was an over Sunday visitor with his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Essenwine.

John Weldy is in Vermont representing the North Western Yeast Co.

Mrs M. U Lent and Miss Hazel Ross is working hard and earnestly for the trip to the Bermunda Island.

POWELL.

Mrs. Preston and Mrs. Camp of Towanda, visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Camp, last week Wednesday.

Everybody that is interested in the Ladies Aid is requested to be present at the meeting to be held at Mrs. Hiram Rockwell's, the first Thursday afternoon in May.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Talada, a daughter.

Mrs. Q. A. Kline of Towanda, visited her sister Mrs. Perry Thurston, Saturday.

Schools closed on Tuesday. The commencements exercises were held in the M. E. church on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Shiner, and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Allen of Laquin, visited friends here, the first of the week.

Fred Wheeler and Miss Cassie Everett of Endicott. are spending some time at G. M. Wheeler's.

Ralph Wheeler of Buffalo, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Camp of Powell and Walter McCall were united in marriage, April 26th.

LITCHFIELD.

Mrs. Harry Lunger visited her mother, Mrs. Jackson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alverde Catlin and daughter Isabelle, visited at Robert Catlin's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hines of Athens visited at J. E. Hines' Sunday.

G. L. Vancise and wife of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting his father, Dr. Vancise, will leave soon for Kane, Pa. to join the Butler Bros'. Carnival shows. Mr. Vancise is engaged as a musician.

James Drake is visiting his daughter at Mt. Pleasant a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chandler and son Wilbur spent Sunday at G. F. Rockwell's.

Mr. Rolfe has been confined to his bed for the past two weeks with grip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lunger visited their son at Sayre Sunday.

Miss Nellie Evans is attending school at Athens.

Mrs. G. F. Rockwell visited her sister, Mrs. F. S. Meade, at Athens Thursday.

SAYLES.

Miss Laura Schrader is spending a few days with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, at Franklindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Decker of Alba, spent Sunday and Monday with his sisters, Mrs. Lee Decker and Mrs. Jerome Alexander.

Miss Halina Lampman of Mountain Lake, who was visiting her aunt Jane Woodin the past week, returned home Sunday.

Clare Alexander of Jersy Shore, is home visiting his father Jerome Alexander.

Lloyd Anderson is enlarging his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodin and son Clarence, visited his cousin Mrs. John Lampman, at Mountain Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woodruff visited Vern Holcomb, Saturday and Sunday at Crofut.

GILLETT.

Mrs. L. B. Swartwood spent a few days in Elmira last week with her daughter, Mrs. Purdy Sayre.

The surprise party for Frank Lewis, held at his home on Friday evening of last week, was well attended. There was about 25 present.

Mrs. Prudy Van Scoy is working for Mrs. John Balmer.

Philander Rurman is ill.

George Jenkins and son Harry of Gillett visited at Isaac Kiersted's on Sunday last.

WINDFALL.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shoemaker entertained at a party and dance on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Bertha English has been visiting at Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Eastman of Elmira, visited his sister, Mrs. Ellen Coe, last week.

George Bruce of Binghamton, was in town last week.

Paul English is quite sick.

Miss Howland of Canton, visited Miss Jeanette Packard last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson of Springfield, visited relatives here last week.

Misses Lola and Lucy Shoemaker visited their grandparents at Alba Wednesday and Thursday.

James Hawthorne has returned from Danville.

Born recently, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Colton, a daughter.

Mrs. William Packard of Penn Yan, is visiting her son Philip Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shoemaker and children visited her sister, Mrs. John Palmer, at Canton, Sunday.

BAILEY CORNER'S.

The wind of last Monday did considerable damage in this place blowing down trees. Fire started in the house of Lee McKean last Sunday about 12:30 and burned it to the ground. There was no insurance.

Word was received here last Tuesday that Charley Pflaum of Bernice was killed by the cars at Ricketts. Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Vroman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester and Mrs. Sallie Putnam attended the funeral at Bernice Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Roby of Alba and Mrs. Roby of Granville Centre attended church here last Sunday.

Mrs. Delmer Swain is very sick.

Mrs. Clarisa Larcom is visiting her son, A. L. Larcom.

Mrs. May Baldwin is working at Keuka, and her daughter is attending school there.

Allen Finney was a over Sunday guest of his sister, Mrs. Olive Foote.

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Mrs. Murray Schouton of Codding, visited Mrs. Leslie Mingos Tuesday.

Misses Angelene and Fanny Grennell attended commencement exercises at West Burlington Tuesday evening.

Dr. L. C. Brown of Owego made his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brown a brief visit last week.

Wilber Grennell and Miss Cynthia Dickinson of Troy were guests at C. F. Grennell's Sunday.

Mrs. Burr Lane visited her daughter, Mrs. Fred Wilkinson, at Ulster, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Hattie Taylor of North Towanda, is stopping with Mrs. Susan Wheeler.

Mrs. Susan Wheeler and Mrs. Robert Lane visited the former's sister, Mrs. Bohlayer at Luther's Mills Sunday.

BUMPVILLE.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richards on April 25th, an 8 pound boy.

Mrs. Mary Struble of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting at L. E. Arnolds.

Sunday school has been re-organized with the following officers: Mrs. Arthur Payne, superintendent; Elmer Arnold, assistant superintendent; Miss Harriett McCabe, secretary; Mrs. Mary Wheaton, treasury, and Miss Estella Arnold, organist.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Cowell, and Fred Wheaton, spent a part of last week in Owego, Binghamton and Lestershire.

A. E. Arnold is breaking a colt for Arthur Avers of Ulster.

Zell Babcock and family of Union Valley, visited at Lyman Richards, on Sunday.

POTTERVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Crispell are ill. Mr. Murry's people of West Warren are caring for them.

Paul Cook has gone to Geneva, N. Y. to work.

Mrs. V. L. Beckwith was called to Tully, N. Y. last week by the sudden death of her brother M. L. Towner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Corbin, are ill with the grip.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. John Gorham May 5th.

Rev. Bloomfield of LeRaysville, was calling on his parishoners in this place Monday.

Hugh Beckwith has the measles.

LEONA.

Miss Mary Robbins has returned to Smithfield after spending the winter at W. H. McMahon's.

Mrs. Mary Guthrie is visiting friends at Big Pond and Springfield.

H. W. Ely has returned from a ten day's stay at the Gleason sanatarium at Elmira.

Mrs. S. E. Cole of Mansfield, spent a few days the past week at A. J. Stacy's.

The Ladies' Aid society of Leona will meet at Mrs. A. T. Griffith's on May 6, for dinner, and the ladies are requested to bring their thimbles and meet at the hall and finish the quilts for the children's home at Philadelphia.

ORWELL RIDGE.

E. D. Chaffee and son Levi M. B. Chaffee and son Quenton, and Lewis Chaffee attended Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Chaffee's twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at Stevensville on Thursday last.

Mrs. Reeve Gorham left on Thursday for New York city where she will join her husband. There they expect to make their future home.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Chaffee who has been ill is improving under the treatment of Dr. Williams of Potterville.

Miss Lillie Eastman was in Towanda on Thursday last.

A regular army officer who inspected the armory of battery B, of the National Guard at Pittsburg, says it is a disgrace to the state.

HERE AND HEREABOUTS.

Brief News Notes for the Hasty Morning Readers.

John Barrett of Marshview, was in town Saturday.

Robert Wood of Laquin, spent Sunday in Towanda.

D. H. Crimmins of Marshview, was in town Saturday.

H. L. Dodge of Highland, was in town on Saturday.

County Detective McCracken was in Sayre Saturday.

S. M. Hottenstein of Monroeton was in Towanda Saturday.

Patrick Brennan was over from Liberty Corners on aSturday.

I. Morgan Weldy was over from North Rome on Saturday.

F. B. and S. H. Kerrick were over from Asylum on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Kintner of Buffalo, is the guest of Mrs. C. P. Welles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mingos were up from Monroeton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miller of Durell, spent Saturday in Towanda.

Charles Frutchey of Asylum, had business in Towanda Saturday.

M. K. Benjamin of Swackhammer Mill, was in Towanda Saturday.

Mrs. P. S. Martin of Powell, was shopping in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Bush of Standing Stone, is spending several days in town.

R. P. Davies and wife of LeRaysville, were in Towanda Saturday.

L. J. Bradley and Charles Bradley of Athens, spent Saturday in Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Irvine were over from Liberty Corners on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bride of Durell, were shopping in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blackman of Quarry Glen, spent Saturday in town.

E. J. Hines of Mercur, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

Nelson Sherman of New Albany, was in the county metropolis on Saturday.

L. W. Towner of Rome, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Elliott were over from Liberty Corners on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Goff of Hollon Hill, were shopping in town on Saturday.

John A. Biles of Hometa Ferry, was among the many in Towanda on Saturday.

The Monday club will meet with Mrs. B. T. Hale this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Emily Osborne is visiting in Elmira, the guest of Miss Fannie Farrington.

John Brennan of Liberty Corners, was transacting business in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Hoaglin of Myersburg, were shopping in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hennessey of Marshview, were shopping in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Norton of Liberty Corners, were shopping in town on Saturday.

H. J. Kelder and A. N. Wilmot of Rome, had business in the county seat on Saturday.

Miss Helen Rosenmiller has returned to New York after spending a week in Towanda.

J. H. Crimmins of Dushore, was among the many in the City of Promise on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maxwell are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnard of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cleveland of Macedonia, were transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

John McKay of Bentley Creek, has announced himself a Democratic candidate for jury commissioner.

The two Parrot rifles have been mounted on the court house lawns and on Saturday were painted black.

George Felton returned to Elmira yesterday after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Felton.

Mrs. John A. Parsons of Troy, has been in Towanda for a few days called here by the illness of her sister Mrs. Arthur Head.

Miss Edna Young, who has been spending the winter in Philadelphia, spent Saturday with friends in Towanda, en route to Geneva.

Mrs. Linette Pennypacker has gone to Cooperstown, N. Y., where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hamilton Jarvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Frank of Alderson, Luzerne county, are at South Towanda, called there to attend the funeral of the late George M. Chilson.

The Misses McCafferty of Skinners Eddy, Mrs. Catherine Baldwin of Pittston, and Mrs. Anna Rogers of Sugar Run, were shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

The engagement has been onnounced of Prof. Amos Reese of the faculty of Mansfield Normal school, and Miss Erma Berry, acting principal of the Tioga graded school.

George Bottcher of Troy, a brother of Mrs. M. J. Freneh of Towanda leaves soon to take up a course of training in interior decorating in New York city under Ernest Dobblestein.

Hon. M. E. Lilley and Ward J. Hunsinger entertained a number of their friends at a plank shad dinner at the Quarry Glen club house Saturday evening. Frank J. Kline prepared and served the feast.

A meeting will be held in Towanda in about two weeks for the purpose of re-organizing the Ladies Auxilliary of the A. O. H. This was a flourishing society at one time, and it is hoped to again have a large membership.

WYSOX MAN CHARGED WITH WATERING MILK.

Allen Miller Waives Hearing and Gives Bail for Court.

Allen Miller of Wysox, was arrested Wednesday by Constable Hollon on a charge of having in his possession, offering for sale and selling milk to which water had been added. The warrant was issued by 'Squire Orcutt on complaint of W. A. Hutchins of Wysox township. Upon being arraigned before the 'Squire, through his attorney, W. E. Lane, Mr. Miller waived a hearing and gave bail for his appearance at the September quarter sessions court.

There are three complaints against the defendant, dated March 29, 30 and 31. On each of these days he is charged with having added water to milk which he offered for sale. The complaints were made under the new law, and are three separate charges. W. P. Wilson represented the commonwealth.

INJUNCTION ISSUED.

Important Case Has Been Started With Sayre Parties in Leading Roles

A case which will be watched with interest, has been started in the Bradford county courts, Sayre parties are in the leading roles. It is entitled S. R. Payne vs. the Sayre Electric company, and on Tuesday the court granted a temporary injunction against the electric company, prayed for by Hon. E. M. Dunham, attorney for Mr. Payne.

The plaintiff alleges that a contract was made to furnish lights at a flat rate of $3 per month, and in consideration of this contract fixtures were placed in the house, but now the company is charging a rate of 15c per kilowat hour, and has rendered a bill for $3.60 and has threatened to cut the light off if not paid. The plaintiff asks that the contract be enforced, and that the company be restrained from cutting the lights off.

The case will be heard before Judge Fanning on April 24, commencing at 10 a. m.

Hard Hit.

The Susquehanna Transcrip estimates that the people of Susquehanna and outlying territory in the immediate vicinity had deposited in the Binghamton Trust company and the Deposit and Calicoon banks something like $100,000. People in the vicinity of Montrose will lose not over $5,000. The fact that the Binghamton Trust company paid four per cent. interest on deposits lured many from the home banks of that territory. It is only another incident of the desirability of placing your money where you can watch it and be ready for an emergency, should it arise.

Another Improvement.

Says the Wyalusing Rocket: "Not satisfied with having the finest postoffice building in the state among the third class offices—as one of the postoffice inspectors put it, "the best in the country"—J. M. Brown, the owner of the building, keeps continually adding to the improvements, last week installing a large Seth Thomas clock for the convenience of the patrons of the office. The building is certainly the best ever, and the service is as good as the best, which is putting it rather modestly."

Successful Operation.

Lee Arnold of Milan, a brother of Harry Arnold of Towanda, was successfully operated upon at the University of Pennsylvania hospital at Philadelphia Monday morning. About five years ago, Mr. Arnold was struck on the lower jaw with a baseball, which caused an injury which made the operation necessary. A large piece of the lower jaw bone was removed by the surgeons. He is able to be around the hospital and the doctors say he will fully recover.

Sayre May Have Good Ball Team

If the business men of Sayre will see that a proper fence is constructed around the Riverside diamond there will be a first-class base ball team in that burg this season. Steps were taken to organize a team Monday and several of the men who played in the Lehigh Valley shop team last year have signified their intentions of playing again this year, and it is expected that outside talent will be secured.

Judson Barnes Recovering.

Judson Barnes of East Herrick, had a slight paralytic shock on April 12, 1908. Last week Monday on the anniversary of that day, he had another and a more severe one. For several days his left side and limbs were paralyzed, and he could not talk. His speech has returned and he is recovering the use of his limbs again.

Sequel to Elopement.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Mrs. Maggie M. Pickett vs. Francis M. Pickett. This is a sequel to the elopement of the defendant husband with another woman a couple of weeks ago.

Egg Record.

August Beck of Honesdale, kept a record of what his flock of 29 Leghorn and Minorca hens could do and the results is very satisfactory, the aggregate being 1,041 eggs in three months, 479 having been laid in March.

Foot and Mouth Quarantine Removed.

The Secretary of Agriculture has issued an order, effective April 24, releasing entirely the quarantine for foot and mouth disease, as he is satisfied that the disease has been completely eradicated from the United States.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of the Parties and Consideration.

Monroe Borough—March 22, 1909. Celia E. and Wm. H. Bahr to Hattie F. Molyneux; lot, $900.

Springfield Township —March 17, 1909. John R. Fanning and wife to Earl M. Berry; 67 acres, and 8-10, $1,500.

Springfield Township—March 17, 1909. John R. Fanning and wife to Wesley F. Berry; 50 acres, $1,200.

Springfield Township—March 17, 1909. John R. Fanning and wife to F. Berry; 3 acres, $1.

Herrick Township—September, 12, 1901. Betsey A. Warner to John Warner to John Warner; 3 acres, 6 perches, $1.

Herrick Township—February 17, 1909. John Warner to Lewis C. Overpeck; 3 acres 6 perches, $300.

Warren Township—April 23, 1906. Bruce B. Lent and wife to Hiram S. Elsbree; 1 acre, 28 rods, $1.

Warren Township—July 11, 1908. Hiram S. Elsbree to Frederick G. Wilson; 7 acre, 28 rods, $300.

Albany Township—March 31, 1909. Edward Z. Clark to Don C. Lewis; lots, $2,600.

Pike Township—March 27, 1909. George B. Lewis and wife to James A. Cobb; 200 acres, $2,050.

Wyalusing Borough—December 23, 1886. Harris S. Ackley and wife to G. F. Blocher; lot, $400.

Wyalusing Borough—March 10, 1909 Martin F. Blocher and others to Ackley E. Blocher and others; lot, $1.

Wysox Township.—March 31, 1909. Henry Drake and others to Mahlon W. Parks; lots, $1,000.

Athens Township—March 27, 1909. George H. Welles and others to Wallace J. Vargason, 122 41-100 acres, $1,240.

Standing Stone Township—February 24, 1909. Fannie M. Hull to James B. Maney; lot, $400.

Terry Township—March 27, 1909. George H. Welles and others to Wallace J. Vargason; 122 41-100 acres, $1,240.

Standing Stone Township—February 21, 1907. Horace Thetga and wife to John N. Coe; lot, $225.

North Towanda Township—April 3, 1909. James Foster to Edward Barnes lot, $900.

Orwell Township—March 16, 1909. Jennie Matthews and others to Edward Ackley; 115 acres 140 perches, $1,300.

Athens Borough—March 24, 1909. T. C. Jakeway and wife to W. T. Knaresboro; lot, $3,000.

Tuscarora Township—April 1, 1909. Clarence H. Browning to Rhoda Morningstar; 50 acres, $2,250.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters in the postoffice for the week ending April 20, 1909: Mrs. Margarette Baker, Mrs. Pearl Husten, Mrs. Almona Parsons, Mrs. L. Tidd, H. C. Crown, Ferd Merithew, Webster K. Todd, Daniel Wells, Frank E. Wood These letters will be sent to the dead letter office May 4, 1909 unless delivered before. In calling for the same please say "Advertised" giving date of list. D. M. Turner, P. M.

So Says Charley.

While we have not the oldest book in Bradford county we do have a Bible on our desk that was printed by Kimble, Conrad & Co., in Philadelphia in 1807. We have not read it constantly for the past 102 years which probably accounts for the good condition it is in—Monroeton Enterprise.

Equity Case.

The case in equity of John A. Innes vs. L. T. McFadden and the West Virginia Pulp and Paper company, is being argued before Judge Fanning this week.

Reporter-Journal—$1 a year.

Legal Notice.

To the children of Ellen Washburn:—

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had to determine the mental condition of Ellen Washburn of Litchfield Township, Bradford County Pa. under the Act of Assembly of June 23rd, 1895, P. L. 300 and its supplements at the Court house at Towanda, said county, May 8th, 1909 at ten o'clock a. m. at which all interested will be heard. The proceedings of which is filed in the Common Pleas of said County No. 442 Term, 1909.

LILLEY & WILSON,
Attorneys fro the Petitioners
Towanda, Pa., April 22nd, 1909.

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THREE IMPORTANT CASES HEARD BY JUDGE FANNING.

Fraternal Insurance Companies Defendants in Two—Road Case.

Arguments in three important cases were heard by Judge Fanning Wednesday. He will pass upon them later.

Road Case.

The first case was the matter of vacating the road in Wysox township along the Lehigh Valley railroad and Table Rock mountain. John C. Ingham, Esq. represented Guy C. Hollon, and other petitioners in praying for the reopening of the road which was declared vacated by the supervisors of Wysox township. Mr. Ingham in his argument sets up the claim that there shall be elected all over the county in each township, a separate set of officers in addition to the supervisors who will perform the duties of the road commissioners relative to the laying out, opening and vacating of roads. Further he claims that the supervisors of Wysox township had no right to vacate the road in question, and that the old law is not repealed by the new law.

William P. Wilson, attorney for Wysox township, set up the claim that the old law is repealed, and that the supervisors shall perform functions of the commissioners relative to the laying out, opening and vacating of roads, and that the supervisors of Wysox township had the right to vacate the road.

The case is a very complicated one, involving points of law which the deciding of will be awaited with interest by the citizens of the county and township officials in particular.

Fraternal Insurance Cases.

The other two cases argued, concern claims against fraternal insurance companies.

The first one was that of Joseph Kaufman vs. the National Protective Legion of Waverly. Mr. Kaufman claims the full amount of his policy, $250 instead of $113.56. Whether the policy expired on Dec. 31, 1907, or on Jan. 1, 1908, when the reduction in the amounts to be paid took effect; and whether or not a company can change the amount which is to be paid during the life of the policy, are the points involved. Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., appeared for Mr. Kaufman, while William Maxwell, Esq., represented the N. P. L.

The other insurance case was that of G. M. Spencer vs. the People's Mutual Insurance Association and League of Sayracuse, N. Y. Mr. Spencer made claim for $50 sick benefit, which the company refused to allow, claiming that he was not ill the length of time claimed. John C. Ingham, Esq., represented the insurance company, while Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff.

David Walsh of Scranton, was knocked down by an automobile in that city on Saturday afternoon, sustaining a fractured leg. The car was driven by A. J. Schnell, a demonstrator.

Auditor's Notice.

Estat e of Sylvia Hapeman, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Bradford County, State of Pennsylvania, to audit, settle, adjust and report distribution of the fund in the hands of E. M. Tuton, administrator of the estate of Sylvia Hapeman, late of Ridgebury township, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Athens, on Friday, May 21st, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims before the undersigned, or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

J. T. CORBIN, Auditor.
Athens, Pa., April 27th, 1909-4t.

Political Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Jury Commissioner, subject to Republican rules, Primaries June 5, 1909.

W. G FERRELL,
feb25-tf Towanda Township, Pa.

The Markets.

The market reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week.

Towanda Prevision Market.

Eggs	20c
Butter	26c.

General Markets.

New York, April 27.

BUTTER—Steady; good trade; receipts, 11,813 packages; creamery, specials, 27a 27½c. (official 27c.); extras, 26a26½c.; thirds to firsts, 20a25c.; held, common to extra, 20a25c.; state dairy, common to choice, 19a25c.; process, common to special, 17a 23c.; western, factory, 17a18½c.

CHEESE—Firm; receipts, 3,421 cases; state, old, full cream, special, 16a17c.; small, fancy, 15¾c.; large, fancy, 15¾c.; good to fine, 15¾c.; common to fair, 12a 13c.; new, colored, fine, 14½a15c.; white, 13½a14½c.; common to fair, 10a13c.; skims, full to specials, 2½a12½c.

EGGS—Barely steady; receipts, 27,124 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 23½c.; fair to choice, 22½a23c.; brown and mixed, fancy, 23c.; fair to choice, 21½a22½c.; western, storage packed, 22½a23½c.; firsts, 21½a 22c.; seconds, 20½a21c.; southern, firsts, 21c.; seconds, 20½c.

POTATOES—Old domestic steady; imported weak and lower; new active, but slightly lower; domestic, old, in bluk, per 180 lbs., $2.75a3; per bbl. or bag, $2.50a2.75; European, old, per 168 lb. bag, $1.80a2.10; Bermuda, new, per bbl., $3a4.50; Florida, new, per bbl., $2a4.50; sweet, per basket, $1.50a2.

LIVE POULTRY—Steady; chickens, broilers, per lb., 30a35c.; fowls, 15½a16½c.; old roosters, 11a11½c.; ducks, 15c.; geese, 7a9c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Firm; broilers, nearby, fancy, squab, per pair, 60a80c.; 3 lbs. to pair, per lb., 40a45c.; fowls, barrels, 16c.; old roosters, 12½c.; spring ducks, nearby, 24a26c.; squabs, white, per doz., $2a4.25; frozen turkeys, No. 1, per lb., 23a 25c.; broilers, milk fed, fancy, 24a25c.; corn fed, fancy, 21a23c.; roasting chickens, milk fed, 23a25c.; corn fed, 17a20c.; fowls, No. 1, 16c.; old roosters, 12½c.; ducks, No. 1, 17a18c.; geese, No. 1, 12a14c.

HAY AND STRAW—Steady; timothy, per hundred, 70a90c.; shipping, 65c.; clover, mixed, 60a77½c.; clover, 55a65c.; long rye straw, $1.20a1.30; small bales, 2½a5c. less.

CALVES—Live veal calves, prime, $7.50 a7.75; common to good, $4.50a7.25; fed, $3.50 a4; barnyards, $3a3.50; country dressed veal, prime, 9½a10c.; common to good, 7a9c.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

MAY TERM, 1909.

Whereas, Hon. A. C. Fanning, President Judge of the Forty-second Judicial District, has issued his precept bearing date March 18, 1909, to me directed for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer, Quarter Sessions, of the Peace, Common Pleas and Orphans' Court at the Court House in Towanda, Pa., commencing

MONDAY MAY 3, 1909,

and continuing three weeks.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with records, inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance agreeably to their notice.

The Grand Jury will meet Monday, April 19, 1909, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Dated at Towanda the fifth day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and nine and of the independence of the United States the one hundred twenty-eighth.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.

Final Accounts.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Prothonotary's office at Towanda, and will be presented to the Court for allowance on Thursday, May 6, 1909, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

First and Final Account of Phillip Knowles, Committee of Mary McDermott Knolles, a lunatic. No. 248 Sept. Term, 1897.

Final Account of Jay L. Ward, Committee of Byron Tall, a lunatic. No. 115 Dec. Term, 1908.

Third and Final Account of F. N. Hubbard, Committee of Dudley Sargeant, a lunatic. No. 408 May Term 1896.

At which time the above accounts will be finally confirmed, unless cause is shown why they should not be.

WILLS G. GORDON,
Prothonotary

Towanda, Pa. April 6, 1909. 4t.

Application in Divorce.

To Eugene Bennett. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County. No. 489, December Term, 1908. You are hereby notified that Rhea Bennett, your wife, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed Monday, May 3, 1909, at the Court House in Towanda for hearing the said Rhea in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.
Towanda Pa., April 5, 1909.-4t

Administratrix's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin L. Inman, deceased, late of Twp. of South Creek, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MARY E. INMAN, Administratrix.
Gillett, Pa., March 29, 1909. 6t

Political Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for jury commissioner, on the Republican ticket. Primaries June 5, 1909. A. C. McGovern, Athens, Pa. 5apr

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of W. Riley Thompson, deceased, late of Ridgebury Township, Bradford County, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

GRACE H. BAKER, Administratrix.
April 19, 1909.
H. B. Corey, Attorney,
Gillett, Pa.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Ann E. Donovan, deceased, late of Towanda Borough, Bradford County, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

M. S. CRONK, Executor.
Towanda, Pa., April 12, 1909.-6:

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of Sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in Towanda Borough, on

Friday, May 7, 1909,

at one o'clock, p. m., the following described property, to wit:

No. 1. All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Athens Borough, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Being lot No. 50 and lot No. 51 according to the plot and survey made by Orson Rickey for Edmund Harrick, said plot and survey being recorded in Bradford County and said lots lying on the south side of North Street and being the north one-half of lots conveyed to A. C. Elsbree by deed recorded in Deed Book No. 150, page 69, etc., with a two story framed dwelling house, out house, frame barn and few fruit trees thereon.

No. 2. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Athens Borough, County and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Being lot No. 50 and lot No. 51 according to the plot and survey made by Orson Rickey for Edmund Harrick, said plot and survey being recorded in Bradford County and said lots lying on the south side of North Street and being the north one-half of lots conveyed to A. C. Elsbree by deed recorded in Deed Book No. 150, page 69, etc., with a two story framed dwelling house, out house, frame barn and few fruit trees thereon.

No. 3. ALSO the defendant's interest in all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Borough of Athens, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the North by lot of Mrs. Boardman; on the East by lot of Patrick White; on the South by Wheelock Avenue, on the West by lot of A. C. Arnold, with a two story framed dwelling house thereon, and being lots Nos. 202 and 202½ on Wheelock Ave. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Farmers National Bank. use, vs. A. C. Arnold.

No. 4. ALSO all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sayre Borough, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the West line of Hoover street forty-two (42) feet Northerly from the North line of lands of "The Rest Cemetery;" thence South eighty-one degrees seven minutes West (S. 81-07 W.) one hundred -twenty-three (123) feet to a corner; thence North twenty-seven degrees fifty-eight West (N. 27-58 W.) forty-four and six-tenths (44.6) feet to a corner in the South line of Lot No. 17; thence North eighty one degrees seven minutes East (N. 81-07 E.) one hundred thirty-seven and five-tenths (137.5) feet to a corner in the West line of Hoover street aforesaid; thence South eight degrees fifty-four minutes East (S. 8-54 E.) along the said West line of Hoover street to the place of beginning. The same being lot No. 16 of the Adamy Plot and surveyed by N. F. Walker. With frame house, and out buildings thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of A. D. Stevens' use vs. Montie Daily.

No. 5. ALSO all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Towanda Borough, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the West by Fourth street; on the South by lot No. Forty (40) of the O. D. Bartlett sub-division of Towanda Borough; on the East by lot No. Fifty (50), and on the North by lot owned by Seymour Smith; being fifty feet in width on "Fourth Street" and one hundred and forty feet deep; it being one of the lots conveyed to Joseph Powell, Trustee for the First National Bank of Towanda, Pa., by James H. Codding in 1879, and by Joseph Powell, Trustee, to Charles L. Tracy, Trustee, &c., as by said Charles L. Tracy to Helen Mouillesseaux the Mortgagor hereof. With one frame house, coal and wood house and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Elizabeth R. Mace vs. Ed. Mouillesseaux and Helen Mouillesseaux.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Towanda, Pa.,
April 15, 1909.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of Sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in Towanda Borough, on

Friday, April 30, 1909,

at one o'clock, p. m., the following described property, to wit:

No. 1. All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Athens, Bradford County, Pa., and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake and stones the northwest corner of Samuel Hulett's land; thence by the same south 2 degrees and 43 minutes west forty-eight rods to a stake and stones, another corner of said Hulett's land; thence by the same south 86 degrees 30 minutes west eighteen and two-tenths rods to a stake and stones corner on the north side of the Orange Hill Road; thence along the center of said road, south 24 degrees east thirty and eight-tenths rods to an angle; thence south six and one-half degrees east eight rods an angle; thence south 40 minutes west eight rods an angle; thence south 10½ degrees west eight rods an angle; thence south 3½ degrees east nine and three-tenths rods to a pine knot stake the southwest corner of the aforesaid Samuel Hulett's land the northwest corner of Wm. Lee's land; thence along said Lee's west line south 3 degrees east fifty rods to a stone, said Lee's southwest corner and in John Eichenberg's north line; thence along said Eichenberg's north line north 87 degrees 48 minutes west one hundred fifty-seven and six-tenths rods to a corner; thence north 22 degrees 27 minutes east one hundred seventy-one and two-tenths rods to a stake corner in the fourth line of the S. W. Park farm; thence along the same south 86 degrees 45 minutes east ninety-seven and one-half rods to the place of beginning. Containing one hundred twenty-five acres of land according to survey made Nov., 1873, by Z. F. Walker be the same more or less. About 80 acres improved, frame house, frame barn and other out buildings and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of George W. Bustin vs. Richard E. Chandler, defendant and real owner.

No. 2. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Athens, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point the northwest corner of lot No. 22; thence easterly 184 feet to the west line of Lewis street; thence by the west line of said street, southerly about 50 feet to the northeast corner of lot No. 24; thence by the North line of lot No. 24 westerly 184 feet to the East line of lot No. 22; thence by the east line of said lot northerly 49 feet to the place of beginning, and being and intending to describe lot number twenty-three (23) on the Sayre Heights Harris Location, recorded in Bradford County Book of Maps, Page 37. With one unfinished two-story frame dwelling house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Rie E. Stevens vs. R. H. Johnson.

No. 3. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Canton Borough, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Edward Hallet's lot at a point in the center of Troy street; thence southerly by the center of said street forty-two feet; thence easterly about eighteen (18) rods to Northern Central Railroad right of way; thence northerly by Northern Central R. R. right of way forty-two (42) feet to the southeast corner of said Hallet's land; thence by said Hallet's south line about eighteen (18) rods to the place of beginning. With frame house, frame barn and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Christiana Rockwell vs. William Wrinker.

No. 4. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sayre Borough, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Being Lot number 7 on a map of the Sub Division of the J. A. Perkins lot in Sayre aforesaid and recorded in the Office for the recording of Deeds in Bradford County, Pennsylvania, said lot having fifty-one (51) feet front on Erie street. With one small frame dwelling house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Nathan Barnes vs. D. E. Barnes.

No. 5. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sayre Borough, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the center line of Pleasant street one hundred and thirty-nine (139) feet west of the center line of Keystone Avenue; thence westerly along said center line of Pleasant street eighty-five (85) feet to the southeast corner of lands of Sarah Wood; thence northerly along the east line of Sarah Wood's lands seventy-nine (79) feet to the south line of the lands of the Hyatt estate; thence easterly along the lands of the said Hyatt estate eighty-five (85) feet to a corner; thence southerly seventy-nine (79) feet in a direct line to the place of beginning. With one, three-story framed dwelling house and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of M. H. Sawtelle, Administrator of Sarah E. Kennedy, vs. George S. Rounds and Edith Rounds.

No. 6. ALSO the undivided one-half interest of A. W. Shoemaker in the following described lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Granville Township, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of David Eaton's lot it being the Northwest corner of the lot herein described; thence along the warrant line South 88 degrees East 133 4-10 rods to a stake; thence South 20½ degrees East, 60 rods to the highway; thence South 78 degrees West 19 7-10 rods to a stake; thence South 80 degrees West 91 8-10 rods to a stake; thence North 4 rods to a stake; thence South 89 degrees West, 20 rods to a stake; thence South 54½ degrees West, 58 rods to a stake; thence North 1 degree East 80 rods to the place of beginning. Containing 60 acres and 104 rods of land be the same more or less. It being the same piece of land sold by A. J. Layton, Sheriff of Bradford County to Patrick McGoughran by deed bearing date the 6th day of April A. D. 1878 and recorded in Sheriff's and Treasurer's deed book Vol. F page 197, sold as the property of James Rittenhouse. Mostly improved with frame house, frame barn and other out buildings and fruit trees thereon, well watered with brook and spring. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Stephen G. Gernert, Jr., Executor of Stephen G. Gernert, deceased, vs. A. W. Shoemaker.

No. 7. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Sayre and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner in the easterly line of Hoover Street, 128 3-10 feet northerly from a corner in the line of Draper and Hoover streets, and being the N. W. corner of lot 21 of E. D. Adamy Plot, made by N. F. Walker; thence easterly along the N. line of said lot 84 6-10 feet to line of lot No. 22 of said plot; thence northerly along line of lot No. 22, 80 feet to a corner of lot No. 41; thence westerly along line of lot 41, 106 9-10 feet to the E. line of Hoover street; thence southerly along said line 43 feet to place of beginning. Being lot No. 42 as per Plat and Survey made by N. F. Walker for E. D. Adamy in 1903 and 1904. One frame dwelling house, other out buildings and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of The Sayre Building and Loan Association vs. E. D. Adamy, C. E. Talada, Terre Tenant, real owner.

No. 8. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Wyalusing Township, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner in the road near Joseph Wildrake's wagon house; thence along said road and said Joseph Wildrake's land North sixty-eight degrees West (68) twenty-three rods to a corner in said road; thence by lands of Gme Bailey North (23) degrees East thirty-two perches to a corner; thence by lands of C. W. Fish South 79 degrees East twenty-three perches to a corner in line of said Joseph Wildrake's; thence by land of said Joseph Wildrake's South 23 degrees West 23 degrees about thirty-seven rods to the place of beginning, containing five acres, be the same more or less, all improved with a frame barn and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of R. H. Ellsworth vs. Nelson Brown. G. A. Bailey, T. T.

No. 9. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Wells Township, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of Lot No. 84 of the allotment of the Bingham lands in Wells Township; thence along the south line of lot No. 210, south 89¾ degrees east, 16 perches; thence along the line of lot No. 85, south ¾ degree west, 64 7-10 perches; thence south 89¾ degrees east 140 perches; thence south 54 perches; thence north 88¾ degrees west, 142 perches; thence along line of Lot No. 83, south 7 degrees west 22 4-10 perches; thence along the east line of Lot 80, north ¾ degree east, 28 3-10 perches; thence along the east line of Lot No. 84 aforesaid, North 5 degrees east 141 2-10 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 65 3-10 acres of land be the same more or less. Mostly all improved.

No. 10. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land, lot No. 2 lying and being in the Township of Wells, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of the allotment of the Bingham land in the Township of Wells same conveyed to Earl P. Wood by said Bingham estate; thence along the south line of Lot No. 210, south 89 1-8 degrees east 263 perches; thence along the west line of lot No. 86, conveyed to Sophia Fries, south ½ degrees west, 45 8-10 perches; thence along line of oLt No. 201, south 1 degree east 17 5-10 perches; and north 89½ degrees west, 123 5-10 perches; thence along line of Lot No. 84 aforesaid, north 89¼ degrees west, 140 perches and north ½ degree east 64 7-10 of a perch to the place of beginning. Containing 99 acres and 5-10 of an acre with the usual allowance of 6 per cent for roads, &c., be the same more or less. The above described lands being the same lands devised to the said party of the first part by the last will and testament of James L. Braisted, deceased. About 80 acres improved with 1 frame house, 1 frame barn, other out buildings and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Jane Eaton vs. S. J. Brasted.

No. 11. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Wilmot Township, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner between lands of the said John M. Quick and William Gamble, deceased, and J. W. Ingham; thence by lands of said J. W. Ingham by old survey North 15 degrees East (by new survey N. 19 degrees E.) to the main road at corner of lands owned by Burr Rogers; thence along the main road and by lands of Burr Rogers and along lands of Sterling and. Ludlow Quick still along the main road leading to Quick's Bend to the line of lands of D. McGee (or now occupied by him); thence by lands of said McGee to the line of lands of William Gamble, deceased; thence by lands of said Gamble by old survey South 75 degrees west (by new survey south 79 degrees W.) to the place of beginning. Containing 50 acres be the same more or less. A lot within the above described boundaries is reserved and is not included in this sale, it being a house and ½ acre of ground deeded by the undersigned to J. J. Bramhall, or Mrs. Bramhall and now occupied by the undersigned Grantor. 35 acres Improved, with frame barn and other out buildings and also a stone quarry thereon.

No. 12. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land suituate in Wilmot Township, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner in the line of lands of Mrs. Shepard Frutchey, being a corner of lands lately conveyed by the undersigned grantors to J. B. Sharts, at a mark in the stone wall; thence along lands of Mrs. Frutchey to lands of William Gamble (deceased); thence along the North line of said William Gamble to the east line of Nathan Honeywell's lands; thence along lands of Nathan Honeywell Northerly to the public highway; thence along the public highway and along lands lately conveyed to J. B. Sharts to the place of beginning. Containing 25 acres be the same more or less, being a part of a parcel of land conveyed by D. D. McGee and wife to Nancy D. Arnold by deed dated Dec. 5th, 1888, and recorded in the office for recording deeds, in and for said county in deed book No. 177 at page 308, &c. All improved.

No. 13. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Wilmot Township, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake beside the public road that runs to Mehoopany; thence South 70 degrees West 12 rods and 15 links to a stake; thence South 20 degrees East 12 perches and 15 links to a stake; thence north 70 degrees East 12 perches and 15 links to a stake; thence North 20 degrees West 12 perches and 15 links along the road to the place of be

WHO WILL WIN THE SPECIAL GOLD PRIZES?

The Three Most Popular Young Women of Bradford County.

ARE YOU ONE OF THEM?

FIRST PRIZE—A fine $50 Diamond Ring.
SECOND PRIZE—A Lady's Gold Watch, 14 carat solid gold case, with full jewelled movement, Waltham make, worth $25.
THIRD PRIZE—A Lady's Gold $25 Watch; same as second prize.

And all for the most votes secured by contestants during the ten days, beginning Thursday, April 22, and ending on Tuesday, May 4, at 8 o'clock p. m.

The votes secured during this special period will count on each conestant's total for the grand trip prizes, but no matter what the standing of the candidates, all will have an equal chance to win one of these beautiful prizes.

Contestants from all the districts are eligible.

Contestants may get votes anywhere.

There appears to be some misunderstanding in the minds of some of the contestants about the prizes offered by the Towanda Printing Company to the three young ladies who get the greatest number of votes during the ten days ending at 8 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, May 4. The company offering these prizes makes this statement which, it is hoped, will be explicit enough to remove all doubts and misunderstanding in regard to these prizes:

The ladies' watches, offered as second and third prizes, are of 14 carat, solid gold cases, with full jeweled movement, Waltham make, worth $25 and sell for that price.

The lady's ring is a fine diamond ring, guaranteed to be genuine in every respect. It was purchased especially for this contest through Chamberlin's Jewelry store, one of the most reliable jewelry houses in this state, who guarantee that it is of the full value named, $50. The ring is an exceptionally handsome one and the winner, we are sure will be more than satisfied with it. As a lasting memento of the contest—of the pluck and hard work that went into its winning—it should prove of more value and satisfaction than money. But if not—if the winner shall not be entirely satisfied that the ring is not just what it is represented to be, and would prefer the money—the company stands ready to pay $50 in cash for it.

The prizes have been bought at Chamberlin's Jewelry Store, and are on exhibition in their windows on Main street.

The next edition of the Reporter-Journal will tell the story. How pleasing it will be to us to name in big black letters the three fortunate young women of Bradford county, who are elected the most popular. Five more days of hard work collecting the promised subscriptions and gathering in many new ones and the first chapter of this great contest will be closed.

The balloting of yesterday only goes to prove what we have claimed all along, that the votes are to be had if you will only go after them. There are hundreds of subscribers who read our paper that will give you a subscription if you approach them in the right way.

Opinions expressed by recognized conservative minds indicate the total vote will assume proportions far beyond the fondest expectations of anyone. All the contestants are bent on winning, for every young lady is in the race to stay and she means to work up to the very last hour.

A pleasing feature the fortunate girl who polls the greatest number of votes is the honor of selecting the chaperon for the party. The chaperon will enjoy and realize the many pleasures that await the trip winners while our guests.

What you want to do is to get some one to help you in this race, help you get the highest vote, then you can reward her by selecting her as chaperon.

Many of the contestants express surprise when they comment on the beautiful prizes we are offering. One girl said she would rather win the diamond ring than the Bermuda tour, yet the trip will cost three times as much as the other. Yet another girl says, I am going for both. That is the spirit. Aim for the top and you are pretty sure of to get near there. One's aim must be high to succeed in any walk of life—especially where competition exists. It is a fair field and no favors. Who will wear the laurels. Our sentiments are reciprocal in all respects. To the hustlers belong the spoils."

STANDING OF THE CONTESTANTS.

	Last Vote	Yesterday's Vote	Total Vote
District No. 1.			
Lucy Kennedy	101,872	9,900	111,772
Gerda Maryott	95,847	10,920	106,767
Marguerite Noble	92,929	12,860	10,5789
Marguerite Lewis	86,161	631	86,792
Ethel Dettra, Ulster	37,369		37,369
Louise Felton	26,115		26,115
Bertha Sluyter	2,050		2,050
Bess Killiey	2,896		2,896
Nellie Barrett	1,526		1,526
Mary E. Smith	1,314		1,314
Helen Prince	306		306
Laura McKee	316		316
District No. 2.			
Bessie Willcox	54,810	9,453	64,263
Minnie Losey	47,798	15,657	63,455
Beatrice Casselberry	48,870	7,543	56,413
Margaret Bartlett	23,337	1,227	24,564
Margeret Burke	20,614		20,614
Bessie Mingos	10,956	306	11,262
Meribah Eddy	4,923		4,923
Flora Mason	3,1699	1,209	4,369
Susan Hoffman	1,469		1,469
Mary Ward	1,317		1,317
Kathryn Fox	604		604
Mary Kelly	281		281
Martha Dibble	70		70
District No. 3.			
Dora Elliott	107	3,960	111,849
Bertha Wilkinson	80,432	13,608	94,040
Lizzie Rockwell	78,013	5,899	83,912
Ina Smith	54,713	14,800	69,513
Edna Wilbur	54,701		54,701
Ruby M. Wakeman	23,652	607	24,259
Eugenia Shiner	20,599	33	20,632
Nellie Williams	11,828	12	11,840
Marion Pierce	4,356		4,356
Elma Sturdevant	3,236		3,236
Mary Gray	2,709		2,709
Carrie Allyn	1,931		1,931
Beatrice Conklin	701		701
Alice Phelps	697		697
Florence Camp	507		507
Elizabeth Sullivan	287		287
Edith Lacey	215		215
Alice Foley	202		202
Clara Gowen	161		161
Noma Quigley	111		111
Gertrude Hickey	108		108
Bessie Stroud	66		66
Bess De Voe	76		76
District No. 4			
Edna Harvey	15,9904	7,836	23,740
Anna Smith	17,789	3,023	20,812
Clara Potter	20,290		20,290
Stella Utter	14,367	3,890	18,257
Mary E. Gray	14,746	1,689	16,435
Pearl Wheatly	14,493	31	14,524
Nellie Kuykendall	2,957	2,435	5,392
Harriet Samons	5,114	6	5,120
Josephine Gore	2,271		2,271
Anna F. Baker	815		815
Theresa Kelly	601		601
Adeline Lent	206		206
Ana Middendor	119		119
Catherine Prince	94		94
Winnogene Smith	66		66
Emily Daw	36		36
District No. 5.			
Winifred Dunbar	22,414	376	22,790
Jeannette Smith	5,348	12,006	17,354
Louise Pierce	8,285	606	8,891
Bertha Daly	1,505	12	1,517
Julia Costello	640		640
Francess McGlen	301		301
Mattie Allison	631		631
Cynthia Dickinson	133		133
District No. 6.			
Hazle Ross	69,813	3,416	73,229
Edith Barnes	54,990	1,4767	69,757
Elizabeth Jennings	28,059	10,418	38,477
Ellen Morley	28,616		28,616
Ada C. Allen	21,876		21,876
Nellie R. Woodruff	21,639		21,639
Laura Austin	5,923	30	5,953
Jennette Packard	5,092		5,092
Florence Stevens	5,000		5,000
Grace Calkins	2,437		2,537
Helen Watts	900		900
Carrie Lindley	206		206

A. T. WELLES IN NEW BUSINESS.

Former Towandian Becomes Secretary and Treasurer of Big Concern.

The Truth, published at Elkhart, Indiana, has the following to say concerning Arthur T. Welles, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Welles, and a brother of C. P. Welles of Towanda:

"With the association of A. T. Welles, who has long been identified with the Western Electric company at Chicago, in the business of the General Manufacturing company of this city it is said the local concern is to take on added activity.

"At the annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the General Manufacturing company, held a few days ago. Mr. Welles purchased a large block of stock in the concern. In the election of officers of the company for the ensuing year Mr. Welles was made secretary and treasurer; D. E. MacCarthy of Elkhart was made president, and Chas. G. Stevens of the Chas. G. Stevens Iron and Steel company of Chicago, vice-president. A. D. Doran of Chicago resigned as secretary but retains his interest in the company.

"Mr. Welles will become a resident of Elkhart. For sometime he has resided at LaGrange, Ill. He has sesured the old Sage home on Division street and the place will be remodeled and ready for occupancy sometime next month.

"The factory management states that extensive improvements will be made in the factory equipment and that more men will be employed. The principal work turned out by the factory is the making of automobile parts and the local plant is reaping the benefits of the rapid growth in the automobile industry. Mr. MacCarthy states that all the big automobile concerns are rushed with orders and are barely able to get out cars fast enough to supply the demand."

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

West Burlington Township High School Sends Out Class.

The West Burlington township high school held its commencement exercises Tuesday evening, April 20, in the M. E. church at West Burlington, and in spite of rain the church was filled to its utmost capacity.

The program rendered consisted of two parts Part one, composed of recitations, dialogues, drills and songs by pupils of the primary and intermediate departments. At the close of part one, the graduating class, consisting of Mary Bourne, Abbie J. Rockwell, Ethel Bourne, D. A. Bourne and Ivan Q. Spencer passed to the rostrum and in a pleasing manner carried out part two of the program which was as follows:

Essay—"Duties Along the Way," Mary Bourne. Essay—"Perseverence, the Key to Success," Abbie J. Rockwell. Oration—"The American Citizen and His Duties," D. H. Bourne. Essay—" Character," Ethel Bourne. Oration—"The Man Who Conquered the World," Ivan Q. Spencer.

These were original productions and showed much thoughtful preparation Following these exercises DeWitt Spencer on behalf of the school board presented the diplomas, and his timely remarks were an inspiration, not only to the graduating class, but also to those yet in school.

The people of West Burlington township are justly proud of their fine high school. It is one of the most successful of the township high schools in the county.

Much credit is due the board of directors who in the face of much opposition, when they saw the benefits to be derived from such a school, had the courage to establish it.

Prof. B. D. Phillips, formerly of Monroeton, a teacher of long experience and well known reputation has been its principal for the past two years and to his untiring energy as a teacher and the hearty co-operation of patrons throughout the township, West Burlington can justly lay claim to one of the best rural schools in the state.

Forty Years Ago.

The following concerning the genial Joseph Ochs, proprietor of the Ochs house, is taking from the "forty years ago column" of Monday's Elmira Advertiser: "Yesterday afternoon as Joseph Ochs and John Dailey were out taking a Sunday ride, their horse took fright while on Main street. In turning the corner of Main and Water streets the buggy careened suddenly throwing Dailey out, and before reaching Railroad avenue Ochs was similarly served. Neither was hurt however. The frightened animal pursued his course down Water street until he came Baldwin, up which he turned and Dialey ran against the door and window of Covell, Fay & Co's. smashing to atoms a large pane of heavy plate glass in each." Regardless of the fact that forty years have elapsed since then, Mr. Ochs is still a youngster, and enjoys a ride now fully as much if not more than when he was a resident of Elmira.

Lucky East Troy Boy.

More help being needed in the hospital of Ann Arbor University, Mich., the juniors were given an opportunity to qualify for the work by competitive examination. Out of a quite a large number who applied, five only were chosen, Lloyd Gamble Cole of East Troy, being one of the number. This not only gives him an extra year in the hospital, a decided advantage but marks him as one who is getting there in his college career.—Troy Gazette Register.

Home From Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tracy, Mrs. Joseph Powell and the Misses Powell arrived in Towanda yesterday afternoon on the Black Diamond from New York, where they landed from a trip through Europe.

MARRIED TWENTY-FIVE YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron W. Chaffee Celebrated their Silver Wedding.

"In response to invitations issued by Mr. and Mrs. Myron W. Chaffee of Stevensville, over 50 guests assembled at their residence on Thursday, April 22, to participate in the celebration of their Silver wedding anniversary. The day was beautiful, after a rainy night, a token that there was a silver lining behind the clouds and coincidence of the occasion The forenoon was spent in greetings and congratulations and at the noon hour, to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. Jessie Warner Layton of Athens, the host and hostess, preceded by Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Babcock, and followed by a number of near relatives marched to the dining room where an elaborate dinner was served by the members of the Cold Creek ladies aid of which Mrs. Chaffee is president. Suffice to say that under the auspices of this society the dinner was all that could be desired and added another laurel to their credit.

A large ornamental wedding cake, had inscribed thereon their names and years 1884—1909, and bearing a silver ornament containing bells which were constantly ringing from the radiating heat of lighted candles beneath, adorned the center of the table, while beautiful bouquets of flowers were situated at each side.

After all had partaken of the bountiful repast, the guests assembled in the spacious reception rooms and witnessed one of the most interesting features of the occasion. Beneath a decorations of wreaths and white hanging bells, stood the host and hostess, as bridegroom and bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Goodwin of Stevensville, who had been married 43 years that day acted as the best man and bridesmaid, while an impressive ceremony, including appropriate remarks by Rev. Babcock of Brushville.

"Hearty congratulations were extended to the couples and wishes that they might be spared to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. Lewis Chaffee and F. F. Ford each rendered solos, the host and hostess a beautiful duet, and several songs by a quartett. Miss Katherine Fassett aged 5, recited a long recitation. Mr. and Mrs. Chaffee looked their best and the smiles portrayed that their hearts were young and happy as twenty-five years ago. They were the recipients of numerous costly and beautiful gifts, as a token of a high esteem in which they areheld by their many friends and acquaintances.

"Relatives were present from different parts of the county and New York state, and fortunate were those who received invitations and accepted.

One who was present.

BODY OF WILLIAM LOLLIS FOUND FLOATING IN RIVER.

Veteran Who Disappeared Near Owego Last January Met Accidental Death.

The body of William Lollis, the veteran who disappeared while on his way from Owego to Lounsberry on the night of Jan. 9 last, was found in the Susquehanna river near Owego Thursday night.

The body showed evidence of having been in the water for a long time, but no marks of violence of any kind was discovered. In the pockets of the dead man was $9.30 in money and his gold watch.

As there were no marks of foul play, the only conclusion is that the man in some manner had fallen into the river and drowned.

Prof. David Pratt Honored.

Prof. David Pratt, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. Manville Pratt of Towanda, has been signally honored at Cornell University, where he has been a teacher in chemistry for several months He was given his degree of A. B., a year ago, and now he has been awarded a Fellowship in the university which carries with it $500 in cash, and the use of a laboratory in which to pursue his studies and carry on experiments. He has three years of special study at the expiration of which he will receive the degree of P. H. D. In pursuing his studies and experiments he will not be required to teach in the university.

Register's Office News.

Will of John Murphy, late of the Borough of New Albany, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to S. D. Sterigere. Letters of administration upon the estate of Thomas S. Flood, late of the city of Elmira, N. Y., granted to Frances Flood. Will of Hiram B. Burroughs, late of the township of Franklin, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Anna S. Burroughs.

Sayre Pumpkin Club Represented

Sayre's famous social organization, "The Pumpkin Society," will be represented in the six mile race to be run in Towanda on old home day, Friday June 25. S. Louis Driggs, Sayre's talking machine merchant, and Thomas S. Jordan, Jr., have sent in their names as contestants, and say they will run under the colors of the Pumpkin Society. Both young men are now in training for the event, and as both are good athletes, they will make all the boys go some to win.

Old Fashioned Baseball.

I. McPherson, Esq., is organizing a baseball team to be composed of men over 60 years of age, and will challenge any team in the county composed of players not under 50 years of age, the game to be played on Old People's day, Saturday, June 26, at 10 a. m. The game is to be played as half a century ago, with soft ball, patching and other rules as governed in those days.

QUARTERLY SESSION OF POMONA GRANGE.

Will Be Held at Colley, Sullivan County, on May 27 and 28.

The quarterly session of Pomona Grange, No. 23, will be held at Colley, Sullivan county, on Thursday and Friday, May 27 and 28. Following is the complete program:

Thursday A. M. Open at 10:30.

Opening song by the Grange.
Roll call of officers and minutes of last meeting.
Report of Subordinate Granges.
Appointment of Committees.
Song and close for Dinner.

Thursday P. M. Open at 1:30.

Address of Welcome by J. E. Reese Killgore.
Response by Hon. Louis Piollet.
Song by the Grange.
Address by Worthy State Master W. T. Creasy.
Recitation by Louisa Erle.
"The Social Circle of Farm Life"—Mrs. Eva Moore of Estella.
Address by State Lecturer E. B. Dorsett.
Question Box in charge of Pomona Lecturer.

Evening Session. Open at 7:30.

The Fifth Degree will be conferred in full form.
Lecturers' Conference, and Suggestion for the Good of the Order.

Friday A. M. Open at 9:45.

State Master W. T. Creasy, presiding.
"Our Public Schools, What Can We Do to Help Them"—Opened by Supt. J. E. Reese Kilgore.
Recitation by Tillie Morningstar.
Hon. E. G. Rogers will open discussion on "Are the State Laws Adequate to the Protection of Our Forests?"
Song by Miss Maud Hunsinger.
Question Box.

Friday P. M. Open at 1:30.

State Lecturer presiding.
Song by the Grange.
"Woman Suffrage"—Opened by Mrs. Louis Piollet.
"Are the Existing Road Laws of Benefit to the Farmer?"—Hon. F. N. Moore.
Song by the Grange.
Question Box.

Friday Evening. Open to Public.

Talk by Hon. W. T. Creasy.
Short entertainment by Colley Grange.
Talk by State Lecturer E. B. Dorsett.
Song.

M. W. SHORES,
D. L. ERLE,
MISS LENA MESSERSMITH,
Committee.

Approved April 21, 1909,
A. T. LILLEY,
Lecturer Pomona, No. 23.

MAY MAGAZINES.

Lippincott's.

Lippincott's for May contains not only an exceptionally fine novelette—"The Pomegranate Seed," by Katharine Metcalf Roof—but also a number of praiseworthily clever short stories. One of the strongest is "Mrs. Marsham," a great character study by Maarten Maartens. One of the best stories of the month is "Lady Godiva at the Springs," The author is Mary Roberts Rinehart, author of those famous "best sellers," "The Man in Lower Ten" and "The Circular Staircase."

St. Nicholas.

The May St. Nicholas brings the first chapters of an important new serial feature, for the older girls and boys, in Charles H. Caffin's "The Story of Dutch Painting." The author explains that the tale of how the Dutchmen of the seventeenth century developed a new school of painting is a part of the story of the lives and fortunes of the Dutch people, and so the story begins with a brief description of the struggle by which the separate provinces became united into a single nation, and of how during the struggle by which the separate provinces became united the people also found time to advance themselves in the arts of peace, including that of painting.

Century.

The May Century has fiction a plenty—the last chapters of Alice Hegan Rice's novel, "Mr. Opp," and stories in which humor is the dominant note by Mary Heaton Vorse, Adeline Knapp and W. Albert Hickman—but leading place is given to Thomas Nelson Page's story, "The Old Planters," a tale of a quaint old hostelry in Virginia, and of the quaint old aristocrats who played host, and of the guests who came and went. A wide range of matters much in the public mind is also covered in the number.

Had a Fine Time.

Charles E. Potter, rural carrier No. 2, who returned from Philadelphia Sunday evening, where he attended a meeting of the home association as a delegate from Washington Camp, No. 190, P. O. S. of A., reports a fine time. The P. O. S. of A. now has a home for aged and dependent members, their widows and orphans located about 30 miles outside of Philadelphia. Mr. Potter visited the institution and pronounces it one of the finest buildings he ever saw. There are spacious grounds and everything is kept in such excellent condition that one can only look and wonder. The home was dedicated a year ago, and at present there is but one inmate.

It Costs Money to Paint.

It costs more if you don't. Your house wears out if not painted. Then it costs money to repair it and money to paint it. It don't cost much money to paint with the L. & M. Paint, because 4 gallons of the L. & M. and 3 agllons of Linseed Oil makes 7 gallons of ready-for-use paint at only $1.20 per gallon. Thirty-five years use in every part of the United States has proven it. Sold by Spalding Hardware Company, Towanda, Dewey Bros. Gillett.

SIX MORE ENTRANTS FOR SIX MILE RACE.

Thirty-Four Young Men Have Sent in Their Names as Contestants.

Six more young men have sent in their names as entrants for the six mile race to be held in Towanda on Old Home Day, Friday, June 25. The total number of entries now is 34. About 40 have entered, but the withdrawal of a few leaves the number at 34, which is considered a good start, inasmuch as the race is two months in the future. There are many young men in Towanda and vicinity trying their wind and legs with a view of entering the race.

The Edison and Vitagraph companies have made arrangements to have men in Towanda on old home day to make films showing the crowds and the contestants in the six mile race, the same to be used in moving picture theatres. Every young man in the county will want to see himself in moving pictures; he will want to be cheered by thousands as the Roman gladiators were in the days of old, and there is only one way to get in the limelight and that is by starting training and entering the six mile race. The race will take place at 11 a. m., and runners should bear this fact in mind while training.

Following is the complete list of entries up to date:

Charles Capwell	Athens
P. H. Capwell	Athens
Thomas Jordan, Jr.,	Sayre
Jack Piollet	Wysox
Thomas Scott	Towanda
Robert Quigley	Towanda
A. C. Wiggins	Athens
Louis Driggs	Sayre
George Sammons	Towanda
Charles Stevens	Towanda
Audley Ryan	Towanda
Clarence H. Eaton	Towanda
Fred Springer	Towanda
Earl Sickler	Powell
E. A. Goodwin	Towanda, R. F. D. 6
Orange Johnson	South Towanda
George Vanderpool	South Towanda
Charles Crandall	Towanda
Guy W. Cass	Orwell
Eli Vanderpool	Towanda
Delbert Vanderpool	Towanda
Orey Onweg	Laquin
Robert McCraney	Laquin
W. Ennis Kinsley	Towanda
Edward Carter	Towanda
Jack Fairbanks	Towanda
Robert Gerould	Athens
E. Ashmun Parsons, Jr	Towanda
John Crimmins	Towanda
William Crandall	Towanda
Allen Kershner	Towanda
Curtis L. Dickerson	Towanda
Manford Allen	Laquin
James Johnson	Towanda, R. F. D. 3

SIX MILE COURSE SET.

Will Start at Dr. S. M. Woodburn's and Finish at Park Street.

The six mile course for the big race on Friday, June 25, the second old home day, has been set. Dr. John D. Mercur accompanied by a Review representative went over the course Tuesday, measuring the distance. An odometer on the dotor's carriage measured the distance, every mile ringing the bell attached to the instrument.

The course will be exactly six miles. The start was made on Main street at a point in the middle of Park street, or in front of the Ward house. The drive was made down Mani to Bridge across the wagon bridge; thence along narrows road to James street bridge, across that structure, out James street to York avenue, down that avenue to Huston street; on Huston to Third street, on Third to Lombard; thence to Second, down Second to Grant, to Main; thence up Main to a point in front of the residence of Dr. S. M. Woodburn on Main street, where the bell on the odometer rang the sixth time.

The runners will be started from a point in front of Dr. Woodburn's and will finish the race, once around the big circle, in front of the Ward house, or in the middle of Park street. This will give a fine view of the start and finish of the big event all along Main street.

Some Big Figures.

When one attempts to tell the story of the Williamsport boom, which will be dismantled when the 5,000,000 feet of logs it now contains are rafted out, he must be prepared to deal with big figures. Since 1862, the first year for which the boom records are available, there have been rafted out of the boom a total of 39,909,511 logs totaling 7,128,661,104 feet board measure. This does not include the 5,000,000 feet, approximately, now in the boom, which makes a grand total of 7,133,661,104 feet. Estimating the value of the lumber at $20 per thousand which is said to be a fair average, it shows that as a result of the West Branch boom more than $140,000,000 came to Williamsport, or ten times the present total assessed valuation of the city. The banner year in the history of the boom was 1873, when it held a total of 318,342,712 feet. In only one other year, 1883, did it exceed 300,000,000 feet, the total that year being 303,769,838.

A divorce was granted yesterday to Jane E. Watts from R. T. Watts, on the grounds of desertion and cruelty. The parties reside in Canton.

BABY'S TERRIBLE WATERY ECZEMA

Itching Humor Broke Out on Tiny Mite's Cheeks—Would Tear His Face Till Blood Streamed Down Unless Hands were Bandaged—Spent $50 on Useless Treatments.

CURED BY CUTICURA AT COST OF BUT $1.50

"When my little boy was two and a half months old he broke out on both cheeks with eczema. It was the itchy, watery kind and we had to keep his little hands wrapped up all the time, and if he would happen to get them uncovered he would claw his face till the blood streamed down on his clothing. We called in a physician at once, but he gave an ointment which was so severe that my babe would scream when it was put on. We changed doctors and medicines until we had spent fifty dollars or more and baby was getting worse. I was so worn out watching and caring for him night and day that I almost felt sure the disease was incurable. But finally reading of the good results of the Cuticura Remedies, I determined to try them. I can truthfully say I was more than surprised, for I bought only a dollar and a half's worth of the Cuticura Remedies (Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills), and they did more good than all my doctors' medicines I had tried, and in fact entirely cured him. I will send you a photograph taken when he was fifteen months old and you can see his face is perfectly clear of the least spot or scar of anything. If I ever have this trouble again, I will never think of doctoring but will send for the Cuticura Remedies at once. As it is, I would never think of using any other than Cuticura Soap for my babe. You are at liberty to publish this, it may help some distressed mother as I was helped. Mrs. W. M. Comerer, Burnt Cabins, Pa., Sept. 15, 1908."

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FOR SALE.

FRANKLIN'S blue stone quary and farm for sale, price reasonable. Apply B. Franklin, 906 Cruzer Bldg. Philada. s10june2

FOR SALE:. Property in village of East Canton, Brad. Co., Pa. Desirable and pleasant 8-room house, small barn, good water, 2-3 a. land. Two churches store and school convenient. Excellent community. A. D. Lawrence, New Albany, Pa. feb18tf

FOR SALE—A desirable judgment against good mercantile brick property in Towanda Borough, bearing 6 per cent. interest. Inquire of Chas. M. Hall, Attorney-at-Law, 408 Main St., Towanda, Pa. feb26-tf

TWO good farms in Wyalusing township. The Elias Vaughan homestead, containing 130 acres, and the Frazer homestead of 70 acres. Inquire on premises, or address, Mrs. N. L. Hollon, Wyalusing, Pa. 15aug-tf

FIVE farms, seven houses and lots, 50 building lots. For description inquire of S. Bergen Park, Towanda, Pa. 14feb-tf

NOTICE.

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LOST.

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ANOTHER GREAT MARATHON RACE.

Since the Marathon craze struck this country the public has been immensely interested in these endurance contests. There is another race, however, that interests the public a thousand times more, and that is the "race for health;" in fact, it may be referred to as a "handicap race," for surely, the man or woman who tries to "race" with a bad stomach, inactive liver, weak nerves and clogged bowels is badly handicapped. To those, we desire to call particular attention to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters It is a specific remedy for all ailments ofthese organs and has an established reputation as a health-maker. With the aid of this remedy you are soon able to take the lead in the race for health. Try a bottle today for Poor Appetite, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, Costiveness and Malaria Fever and Ague.